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132nd ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF

WAKEFIELD, MASS.

Financial Year Ending December Thirty-first
Nineteen Hundred and Forty-three

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THE TOWN CLERK'S RECORDS

OF THE

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

During the Year 1943

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WAKEFIELD

Town Officers, 1943-44

Selectmen

Orrin J. Hale, Chairman

William R. Lindsay — L. Wallace Sweetser — Ernest L. Brown, Secretary

William G. Dill

Town Clerk

Charles F. Young

Town Treasurer

John I. Preston

Tax Collector

Carl W. Sunman

Town Accountant

Charles C. Cox

Moderator

Thomas G. O'Connell

Assessors

George E. Blair, Chairman	Term Expires March 1944
Leo F. Douglass, Secretary	" " " 1946
George H. Stout	" " " 1945

Municipal Light Commissioners

Marcus Beebe, 2nd, Chairman	Term Expires March 1944
Curtis L. Sopher	" " " 1946
Theodore Eaton	" " " 1945

Water and Sewerage Board

William B. Stantial, Chairman (Resigned)	
Sidney F. Adams, Chairman	Term Expires March 1946
George O. Sheldon, Secretary	" " " 1945
John N. Bill (Appointed)	" " " 1944

Board of Public Welfare

Harold C. Robinson, Chairman	Term Expires March 1946
Herbert D. Anderson, Secretary	" " " 1944
Peter Y. Myhre	" " " 1945
Helen M. Randall	" " " 1945
M. Leo Conway	" " " 1946

School Committee

Patrick H. Tenney, Chairman	Term Expires March 1946
Eva Gowing Ripley, Secretary	" " " 1946
Mary Louise Tredinnick	" " " 1945
James M. Henderson	" " " 1945
James A. Fox	" " " 1944
Paul A. Saunders	" " " 1944

Trustees Lucius Beebe Memorial Library

Hervey J. Skinner, Chairman	Term Expires March 1946
Florence I. Bean, Secretary	" " " 1946
John J. Round	" " " 1946
Albert W. Rockwood	" " " 1944
Dr. Richard Dutton	" " " 1944
Alice W. Wheeler	" " " 1944
Walter C. Hickey	" " " 1945
Arthur L. Evans	" " " 1945
Dr. Frank T. Woodbury	" " " 1945

Board of Health

Wesley S. Goodwin, Chairman	Term Expires March 1944
Dr. Robert Dutton, Secretary (on Leave)	" " " 1945
Dr. Charles E. Montague (military substitute)	
Ned C. Loud	" " " 1946

Park and Cemetery Commissioners

John T. Stringer, Chairman	Term Expires March 1944
John W. MacGillivray, Chairman	" " " 1944
William E. Packard, Secretary	" " " 1944

Town Planning Board

Fitzroy Willard, Chairman	Term Expires March 1945
M. Gardner Clemons, Sec'y-Treas.	" " " 1944
Edward M. Bridge	" " " 1946
Edward G. Lee	" " " 1944
Dr. Frank T. Woodbury	" " " 1945

Constables

John G. M. Gates
Joseph L. Preston
Harold Anderson
Walter E. Peterson

Registrars of Voters

Frederick G. Gorman, Chairman	Term Expires	March		1944
Charles F. Young, Clerk				
Fred E. Bunker	"	"	"	1946
Edmund W. Sliney	"	"	"	1945

Finance Committee

Frederick W. Bliss, Chairman	Term Expires	March		1945
Harry Marshall	"	"	"	1945
V. Richard Fazio	"	"	"	1945
Joseph M. Curley	"	"	"	1945
Frank E. McIntire	"	"	"	1945
Arthur M. Moore	"	"	"	1946
Edwin L. Nute	"	"	"	1946
D. Thomas Dinan	"	"	"	1946
Joseph B. Burke	"	"	"	1946
George J. Evans	"	"	"	1946
Howard A. Jones	"	"	"	1944
Maurice F. Walsh	"	"	"	1944
J. Edson Tredinnick	"	"	"	1944
Theodore C. Farwell	"	"	"	1944
Moses M. Frankel	"	"	"	1944

Board of Appeals

William C. McKie, Chairman and Secretary	Term Expires	March		1945
Colby L. Burbank	"	"	"	1944
Willard P. Lombard	"	"	"	1946

Recreation Committee

William G. Dill, Chairman

Mary E. Morgan, Secretary and Treasurer
Elizabeth Neary
James F. Keating
Emily H. Climo
William McKilligan
John J. Powers

For other appointive town officers, see Selectmen's Report.

Town of Wakefield

Population, 1940 Census 16,223

Congressman, 8th District—Angier L. Goodwin of Melrose.
* Councillor, 6th District—Theodore P. Hollis of Stoneham.
State Senator, 7th Middlesex District—Arthur W. Coolidge, Reading.
State Representatives, 22nd Middlesex District—Joseph A. Milano, Melrose; Charles Gibbons, Stoneham; George J. Evans, Wakefield.
* Captain U. S. Army.

List of Jurors

Prepared by the Selectmen of the Town of Wakefield, June 29, 1943

Name	Residence	Occupation
Adams, Robert H. 43	14 Strathmore rd.	Bond Trader
Akin, John R. 42-43	106 Prospect st.	Newspaperman
Allen, Charles E. 43	22 Crystal st.	Salesman
Allyn, William H. 42-43	56 Greenwood ave.	Salesman
Allyn, William W. 42-43	9 Myrtle av.	Supervisor
Anderson, Arthur W. 41-42-43	26 Armory st.	Gardener
Anderson, Harry E. 43	10 Humphrey st.	Technician
Anderson, Howard E. 43	20 Franklin st.	Custodian
Anderson, J. Frank 42-43	1 Everett av.	Credit Mgr.
Andrews, Everett W. 43	21 Pearl st.	Supervisor
Arnold, Richard T. 42-43	39 Strathmore rd.	Salesman
Avery, Parker L. 42-43	20 Strathmore rd.	Cashier
Baker, Ralph C. 42-43	11 Overlake rd.	Salesman
Barry, Bartholomew D. 42-43	38 Richardson ave.	Tel. Worker
Barry, Daniel A. 43	22 Bartley st.	Soap Factory
Bemister, Hiram B. 42-43	South st.	Credit Mgr.
Benwell, Harry A. 42-43	6 West st.	Writer
Bergin, John J. 42-43	49 Elm st.	Salesman
Blanchard, Leon A. 41-42-43	Minot st.	Awning Maker
Bliss, Chester T. 43	43 Outlook rd.	Elec. Contr.
Borgal, George C. 41-42-43	7 Maple av.	Gas Station Attd.
Boynton, F. Hamlin 43	80 Green st.	Candy Maker
Bradley, John J. 43	66 Cedar st.	Real Estate
Brady, James F. 41-42-43	12 Greenwood st.	U. S. S. Insp.
Brewer, Alvin D. 43	21 Pearl st.	Foreman
Brickett, Eliot V. 42-43	4a Parker rd.	Draftsman
Brown, Elmer D. 43	12 Crystal st.	Insurance
Brown, Grant W. 42-43	48 Cordis st.	Inspector
Browne, William C. 42-43	37 Oak st.	Ass't Buyer
Buckley, Raymond O. 43	7 Murray st.	Ins. Adjuster
Bullard, Scott A. 41-42-43	6 Salem st.	Taxi Service

Name	Residence	Occupation
Burke, Charles E. 41-42-43	90 Cedar st.	Foreman
Burke, Joseph B. 43	18 Prospect st.	Superintendent
Burns, John F. 41-42-43	7 Grafton st.	Electrician
Butler, Charles J. 42-43	196 Broadway	Watchman
Butler, Edward J. 41-42-43	308 Albion st.	Timekeeper
Butler, George W. 42-43	11 Highland ave.	Fur Buyer
Butler, William H. Jr. 41-42-43	50 Albion st.	Funeral Director
Callbeck, Percy H. 43	9 Green st.	Manager
Campbell, Neil 43	17 Grove st.	Insurance
Carr, Frederick R. 42-43	25 Coolidge pk.	Bond Trader
Carrick, Harvey A. 43	50 Greenwood ave.	Retired
Chace, Laurence H. 42-43	24 Humphrey st.	Clerk
Chisholm, Kenneth R. 43	28 Grafton st.	Printer
Clarke, Albert F. 42-43	177 Oak st.	Mass. State Emp.
Clines, Harry J. 42-43	5 Crescent Hill	Shipper
Clough, Leslie R. 42-43	16 Ames st.	Banker
Coates, Harvey W. 41-42-43	2 Karl rd.	Salesman
Colcord, George W. 43	182 Ashland st.	Insur. Supt.
Cole, James 43	6 Chestnut st.	Builder
Coleman, Wesley S. 43	10 Crystal st.	Salesman
Collins, George A. 42-43	5 Francis ave.	Bank Teller
Cooke, Charles W. 43	26 Chestnut st.	Chauffeur
Copeland, Lewis C. 42-43	61 Prospect st.	Shoe Worker
Corcoran, Dennis F. 42-43	90 Chestnut st.	Shoe Worker
Costello, Michael 43	97 Cedar st.	Polisher
Craigin, Arthur B. 43	11 Newell rd.	Salesman
Creedon, Jeremiah E. 42-43	6 Nelly st.	Moulder
Crosby, Charles R. 42-43	1 Byron st.	Leather Worker
Crowe, Arthur 42-43	58 Madison ave.	Investigator
Cullen, G. Albert 42-43	4 Western ave.	Bank Clerk
Cullen, William H. 43	19 Lake st.	Laundry Worker
Curley, Thomas L. 42-43	209 North ave.	Laborer
Dalrymple, Chester W. 41-42-43	16 Pleasant st.	Fruit Grower
Daniels, Alexander 41-42-43	8 Evans pl.	Elec. Engineer
Davis, Richard M. 41-42-43	16 Coolidge pk.	Salesman
Desmond, Daniel J. 43	154 Broadway	Clerk
Dike, John K. 43	7 Crystal st.	Salesman
Dill, William G. 42-43	18 Grafton st.	Lineman
Dillon, Harry E. 43	4 Francis ave.	Salesman
Donegan, George F. 41-42-43	13 Fitch ct.	Accountant
Doucette, Henry 43	6 Nelly st.	Clerk
Douglass, Leo F. 41-42-43	21 Cedar st.	General Elec.
Dulong, John E. 41-42-43	30 Richardson ave.	Shipper
Farrington, Michael 43	89 Gould st.	Fireman
Fazio, Joseph Jr. 43	48 Valley st.	Painter
Fazio, V. Richard 42-43	23a Armory st.	Investigator

Name	Residence	Occupation
Feil, Earl W. 41-42-43	78 Oak st.	Bookkeeper
Fieldhouse, Herbert 43	12 Forest st.	Superintendent
Findlay, John 42-43	10 Pitman ave.	Machinist
Finney, Gordon 42-43	40 Outlook rd.	B. & M. R. R.
Fitz, Robert F. 42-43	59 Shumway cir.	D. & L. Slade
Flanagan, Patrick 41-42-43	316 Albion st.	Retired
Flannigan, Ralph S. 42-43	17 Bellevue ave.	Highway Dept.
Fleming, John W. 41-42-43	31 Greenwood ave.	Painter
Florance, Charles H. 42-43	18 Emerson st.	Inspector
Fober, Fred F. 43	60 Richardson st.	Bookkeeper
Foster, David T. 43	19 Forest st.	Bookbinder
Fox, James A. 43	10 Fox rd.	Asst. Sales Mgr.
Gallinari, Louis A. 42-43	42 Fairmount ave.	Asst. Treas.
Gibbons, Thomas J. 42-43	152 Broadway	Laborer
Gilbert, Allyn T. 43	9 Sheffield rd.	Gen. Mgr.
Glynn, Howard S. 43	17 Parker rd.	Manager
Gordon, Harry S. 42-43	17 Byron st.	Supt.
Graves, Elmer B. 43	10 Gerard st.	Linoleum Layer
Greany, William F. 42-43	3 Nelly st.	Fireman
Greenough, William W. 41-42-43	157 Prospect st.	Merchant
Guttadauro, Michael T. 43	6 Overlake rd.	Hairdresser
Haley, George 42-43	21 Madison ave.	Druggist
Haller, Eugene 43	80 Outlook rd.	Manager
Hamel, George J. 41-42-43	21 Gould st.	Machinist
Harwood, Will A. 43	15 Overlake rd.	Editor
Hatch, Joseph B. 42-43	197 Broadway	Engineering
Hatfield, George E. 41-42-43	45 Richardson st.	Shoemaker
Herbolzheimer, Fred 43	5 Pearl st.	Manager
Heywood, Paul H. 42-43	81 Outlook rd.	Bank Exam.
Hickey, Walter C. 43	25 Gould st.	Manager
Hickey, William A. 41-42-43	122 Chestnut st.	Merchant
Hollett, Jabez 42-43	17 Gladstone st.	Builder
Holt, Kimball M. 43	34 Cedar st.	Salesman
Hourihan, Maurice J. 43	18 Lake st.	Mill Worker
Hunt, Horatio F. 42-43	78 Greenwood st.	Banker
Hurton, John J. 41-42-43	9 Rockland st.	Foreman
Hurton, Matthew J. 41-42-43	5 Cottage st.	Fed. Reserve Bank
Hurton, Michael J. 42-43	11 Rockland st.	Knitter
Hurton, Thomas F. 42-43	13 Rockland st.	Mill Operator
Hutchinson, Andrew W. 42-43	4 Stedman st.	Insurance
Inman, Harold S. 43	Essex st.	Piano Tuner
Jacobsen, Henrik W. 42-43	71 Prospect st.	Draftsman
Jaynes, Walter R. 42-43	9 Green st.	Insurance Col.
Jenkins, George A. 42-43	16 Western ave.	Welder
Johnson, Francis A. 42-43	39 Pine Hill cir.	Clerk
Johnson, Robert A. 41-42-43	3 Eaton ct.	Proprietor

Name	Residence	Occupation
Kalaher, John J. 42-43	149 Broadway	Clerk
Keefe, J. Royce 43	15 Overlake rd.	Salesman
Kenney, Frank C. 43	1 Atwood ave.	Merchant
Kineavy, Thomas F. 42-43	136 Oak st.	Retired
King, Eugene W. 42-43	70 Elm st.	Accountant
Klingel, Carl C. 43	5 Hillside ave.	Salesman
Kondrup, George W. 42-43	31 Gould st.	Machinist
Laananen, Joseph 42-43	44 Eustis ave.	Clerk
Lally, Thomas J. 42-43	297 Albion st.	Banker
Lane, Arthur C. 42-43	10 Summit ave.	Stamp Dealer
Lane, Robert J. 41-42-43	1 Stark ave.	Salesman
Larson, Eric V. 43	5 Acorn ave.	Manager
Laughead, Warren G. 41-42-43	100 Green st.	Clerk
Lee, Edward G. 43	5 Linden ave.	Civil Engineer
Lee, Morris R. 41-42-43	53 Cedar st.	Electrician
Levy, Arthur J. 41-42-43	5 Flint st.	Claim Agent
Lindsay, William R. 41-42-43	282 Main st.	Merchant
Little, John 43	9 Greenwood ave.	Salesman
Locash, Charles 41-42-43	61 Valley st.	Machinist
Lowry, Edgar A. 42-43	5 West st.	Railway Mail Clerk
MacInnis, Joseph W. 42-43	58 Chestnut st.	Bldg. Inspector
Malcolm, Thomas 43	17 Green st.	Manager
Malonson, Edward M. 42-43	63 Albion st.	Counterman
Martin, Lawrence H. 42-43	2 Park ave.	Asst. Cashier
Massman, Frank 42-43	46a Bartley st.	Toolmaker
Mathias, Robert D. 43	42 Madison ave.	Bank Clerk
Meloney, George A. 43	75 Prospect st.	At Home
Merritt, Harold W. 43	1 Grafton st.	Civil Engineer
Miles, Harold F. 42-43	30 Sheffield rd.	Auctioneer
Miles, Roy L. 42-43	27 Outlook rd.	Salesman
Monahan, Joseph W. 42-43	14 Stedman st.	Carpenter
Monroe, George C. 42-43	9 Edmands pl.	Salesman
Moore, Joseph A. 43	17 Forest rd.	Retired
Musche, Frederick 41-42-43	4 Forest st.	Office Mgr.
Muse, John F. 42-43	57 Myrtle ave.	Porter
Myers, Ernest A. 42-43	15 Perkins st.	Draftsman
McConville, George E. 42-43	15 Walnut st.	Bowl. Alley Prop.
McCullough, George J. 43	252 Albion st.	Stenographer
McGrath, James 43	327 Albion st.	Engineer
McKeon, William T. 43	4 Houston st.	Merchant
McLellan, Oswald S. 41-42-43	59 Oak st.	Moulder
McMahon, Daniel C. 42-43	5 Parker rd.	Bank Clerk
McMann, Harold A. 43	32 Richardson ave.	Undertaker
McTague, Harry J. 42-43	253 Albion st.	Shipper
McWhinnie, Percy C. 42-43	Crystal Lake pk.	Truck Driver
Nasella, William J. 41-42-43	20 Melvin st.	Shoeworker

Name	Residence	Occupation
Nelson, Victor 41-42-43	12 Overlook rd.	Advertis. Agt.
Northrup, Ronald L. 43	73 Prospect st.	Radio Mech.
O'Keefe, John F. 42-43	27 Bartley st.	Shipper
Olson, George O. 42-43	15 Eustis ave.	Credit Mgr.
Ormsby, John W. 43	24 Greenwood ave.	Accountant
Orne, Arthur E. 42-43	12 Greenwood ave.	Supervisor
Paglia, Thomas F. 41-42-43	73 Valley st.	Shoeworker
Palumbo, Frank J. 41-42-43	18 Stark ave.	Shoeworker
Parker, Oswald W. 43	18 Park ave.	Salesman
Parnham, Frank L. 43	7 Howard st.	Salesman
Passamonte, Joseph 42-43	2 Bancroft ave.	Barber
Perrone, Anthony 41-42-43	50 Nahant st.	Clerk
Petersen, John M. 42-43	97 Gould st.	Clerk
Peterson, Chas. A. Jr. 42-43	35 Eustis ave.	Mortgage Banker
Peterson, Walter A. 43	101 Green st.	N. E. T. & T. Co.
Petrucci, Joseph 41-42-43	20 White ave.	Shoeworker
Pitman, Donald M. 41-42-43	7 Shady ave.	Garage Mgr.
Proctor, Arthur M. 42-43	45 Chestnut st.	Insurance
Randall, Charles E. 43	29 Parker rd.	Asst. Mgr.
Rattray, James M. 41-42-43	786 Main st.	Electrician
Rattray, William A. 42-43	19 Park ave.	Salesman
Reams, Walter T. 42-43	16 Green st.	Retired
Rich, Frank 41-42-43	125 Water st.	Sub. Letter Car.
Riley, Hugh E. 42-43	6 Spaulding st.	Painter
Robbins, Charles B. 42-43	4 Meriam st.	Guard
Robinson, Ronald A. 41-42-43	11 Spaulding st.	Clerk
Ross, Alexander J. 41-42-43	57 Elm st.	Salesman
Rowell, George H. 43	8 Highland ave.	Clerk
Rutter, Walter F. 42-43	25 Parker rd.	Inv. Banker
Sampson, Charles L. 41-42-43	2 Fell st.	Bank Guard
Sampson, Henry F. 43	2 Fell st.	Clerk
Scanlon, John F. 41-42-43	201 North ave.	Light Plant
Slamin, Robert F. 42-43	21 Atwood st.	Rigger
Smart, Raymond L. 41-42-43	34 Wave ave.	Engineer
Sparks, Harry P. 43	24 Stedman st.	Insurance Agt.
Stanley, George 42-43	26 Grafton st.	Carpenter
Staples, Harry A. 41-42-43	Ballister st.	Truck Driver
Stark, Edwin J. 42-43	6 Park ave.	Salesman
Sullivan, Charles L. 41-42-43	7 Yale ave.	Carpenter
Sullivan, Christopher P. 42-43	182 Broadway	Mechanic
Sullivan, Roger C. 41-42-43	7 Yale ave.	Clerk
Tupper, George W. 41-42-43	159 Prospect st.	Salesman
Walker, Albert E. 42-43	761 Main st.	Machinist
Walsh, Joseph P. 42-43	Parker rd.	Laborer
Walsh, Joseph W. 42-43	36 Bartley st.	Counter Man
Walsh, Maurice F. 42-43	37 Avon st.	Superintendent

Name	Residence	Occupation
Walsh, Walter L. 42-43	41 Nahant st.	Chauffeur
Ward, Norman J. 42-43	63 Albion st.	Clerk
Watt, James I. 42-43	20 Humphrey st.	Insurance
Westin, John A. 43	18 Cooper st.	Truck Driver
Wheeler, Fenwick E. 42-43	127 New Salem st.	Carpenter
Whitcomb, Burton F. 41-42-43	23 Cordis st.	Bond Trader
White, Lorne 41-42-43	Ames st.	Proprietor
Wilkes, Bertram A. 41-42-43	29 Sweetser st.	Mech. Engr.
Wilson, Ivan V. 43	11 Strathmore rd.	Chemist
Wilkins, Myron O. 42-43	10 Strathmore rd.	Banker
Winton, Joseph 43	5 Nelly st.	Chauffeur
Woods, Joseph W. 42-43	259 Albion st.	Clerk
Young, W. Lawrence 43	2 Ashcroft	Sign Writer
Zarella, Fred 41-42-43	Farm st.	Shoe Worker

Result of Town Election—March 1, 1943

(AS CANVASSED BY THE TOWN CLERK)

Selectmen — One Year

	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Pre. 3	Total
*Ernest E. Brown	807	345	437	1589
Richard M. Davis	833	240	397	1470
*William G. Dill	848	377	425	1650
Fred V. P. Elliott	647	127	306	1080
*Orrin J. Hale	996	309	591	1896
*William R. Lindsay	1168	363	572	2103
*L. Wallace Sweetser	1047	334	534	1915
Larry Gardner	1			1
Scattering		2		2
Blanks	1823	613	928	3364

Town Clerk — One Year

Leroy E. Brown	684	269	394	1347
*Charles F. Young	913	264	437	1614
Blanks	37	9	7	53

Town Treasurer — One Year

*John I. Preston	1306	476	673	2455
Blanks	328	66	165	559

Tax Collector — One Year

*Carl W. Sunman	1272	476	642	2390
Blanks	362	66	196	624

Moderator

*Thomas G. O'Connell	1239	457	628	2324
Blanks	395	85	210	690

Assessor — Three Years

*George H. Stout	1231	455	594	2280
Blanks	403	87	244	734

Municipal Light Commissioner — Three Years

George F. Baldwin	433	154	238	825
*Curtis L. Sopher	916	315	461	1692
Blanks	285	73	139	497

Water and Sewerage Board — Three Years

*Sidney F. Adams	1122	453	575	2150
Blanks	512	89	263	864

Board of Public Welfare — Three Years

	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Pre. 3	Total
*M. Leo Conway	1105	403	584	2092
*Harold C. Robinson	1134	423	559	2116
Blanks	1209	258	353	1820

School Committee — Three Years

*Patrick H. Tenney	1173	425	645	2243
*Eva Gowing Ripley	1072	417	554	2043
Blanks	1023	242	477	1742

Trustees Lucius Beebe Memorial Library — Three Years

*Florence L. Beane	1095	414	520	2029
*John J. Round	1134	427	544	2105
*Hervey J. Skinner	1077	411	568	2056
Blanks	1596	374	882	2852

Board of Health — Three Years

*Ned C. Loud	1147	455	576	2178
Blanks	427	87	312	836

Park and Cemetery Commissioners — One Year

*John W. MacGillivray	1129	359	611	2099
*William E. Packard	1047	330	528	1932
*John T. Stringer	1132	364	567	2063
Walter G. Yetman	357	260	157	774
George Abbott	1			1
Oscar Butler	1			1
Blanks	1208	313	651	2172

Constables — One Year

*John G. M. Gates	1160	442	571	2173
*Walter E. Peterson	1178	428	580	2186
*Joseph L. Preston	1161	424	589	2174
John L. Wenzell			1	1
Blanks	1403	332	773	2508

*Elected

	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Pre. 3	Total
Total Vote	1634	542	838	3014

MARCH 2, 1943

George A. Bennett nominated for Inspector of Animals by the Board of Selectmen.

Record of Town Meetings

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING — MARCH 8, 1943

Meeting called to order at 7.37 P. M. by Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell, who read the call for the meeting.

On motion by Patrick H. Tenney:

Voted: That further reading of the warrant, with the exception of the constable's return, be dispensed with.

Constable's return read.

ARTICLE 1

To act upon the reports of Town Officers as published.

On motion by Harry Marshall:

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 1 be laid upon the table.

ARTICLE 2

To choose all Town Officers not required to be chosen by ballot.

On motion by Harry Marshall:

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of five to bring in nominations for Town officers not otherwise required to be chosen by ballot.

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.—John I. Preston and others.

On motion by Harry Marshall for the Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1943, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 4

To see if the Town will vote to authorize various departments to purchase new equipment at net costs not exceeding amounts specified below, exchanging similar equipment therefor, where now owned, the net cost of such new equipment to be expended from the appropriations voted for such departments.

Police Department		
1 Automobile		$ 700.00
Fire Department		
New Hose ¾″		250.00
Highway Department		
1 Capstan Winch mounted	$ 590.00	
New Boiler and Stoker for heating	1,050.00	
		1,640.00
School Department Exchange		
1 Automobile	750.00	
6 Stoves	450.00	
3 Scales	150.00	
Identification Braclets	2,500.00	
		3,850.00
Library Department		
New Desks and Racks		200.00
Water and Sewerage Department		
1 Sewer Cleaning Machine		500.00

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize various departments to purchase new equipment at net cost not exceeding the amounts specified below; exchanging similar equipment therefor where now owned, the net cost of such equipment to be expended from the appropriations voted for such departments:

Police Department		
1 Automobile		$ 700.00
Fire Department		
New Hose ¾″		250.00
Highway Department		
1 Capstan Winch mounted		590.00
School Department		
Exchange one Automobile	$ 750.00	
6 Stoves	450.00	
3 Scales	150.00	
		1,350.00
Library Department		
New Desks and Racks		200.00
Water and Sewerage Department		
1 Sewer Cleaning Machine		500.00

ARTICLE 5

To see what action the Town will take as to a general or flat rate increase in salaries of the Town officers and employees for the year 1943 and raise and appropriate money therefor, or what they will do about it.—Harry Marshall and others.

On motion by Finance Committee:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $27,600. to provide special compensation, as a temporary measure for the year 1943, for full time regular employees and certain full time elected and appointed officers of town departments as listed below:

Such special compensation, at the rate of $120. per year, shall be paid to the above in the employ of the town on any quarter beginning on the first working day of January, April, July and October 1943 in quarterly payments of $30.00 on the last day of each quarter, if then in the employ of the town; said total sum to be expended under the direction of the heads of the respective departments as follows:

Accounting Department	$ 240.00
Collector's Department	240.00
Assessor's Department Clerks	360.00
Town Clerk's Department	240.00
Town Hall	120.00
Lafayette Building	120.00
Police Department	2,160.00
Fire Department	1,680.00
Moth Department	360.00
Building Inspector	120.00
Health Department	240.00
Highway Department	2,040.00
Welfare Department	960.00
School Department	15,360.00
Library Department	960.00
Park and Cemetery Department	240.00
Water and Sewerage Department	2,160.00
	$ 27,600.00

Amendment by Patrick H. Tenney, seconded by Orrin J. Hale:

That the town vote to provide special compensation as a temporary measure for the year 1943 for all town employees and elected officials.

Said special compensation shall be at the rate of 10% of present wages and salaries retroactive to January 1, 1943, but no such special compensation shall exceed in any one case more than $200. and that the necessary funds to pay such special compensation be added to the budgets of the various departments, and raised and appropriated under Article 6 of this warrant.

On a show of hands, the amendment was voted in the affirmative, and the Moderator declared the amendment carried.

ARTICLE 6

To determine how much money the Town will raise and appropriate for General Government, Protection of Persons and Property, Health and Sanitation, Highways, Charities and Soldiers' Benefits, Education, Recreation, and Unclassified Public Service Enterprises, Interest and Maturing Debt, specifying what appropriations shall be taken from the receipts of a department.

Motion by Harry Marshall:

That the subject matter of Article 6 be layed on the table.

Motion not carried.

On motion by Harry Marshall for the Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $43,688.69 to be apportioned as follows:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator	$ 27.50
Selectmen's Department	
Salaries of Board	550.00
Department Expenses	
Salary of Clerk	525.00
Other Expenses	1,613.00
Accounting Department	
Salary of Accountant	2,850.00
Salary of Clerk	615.00
Other Expenses	440.00
Treasurer's Department	
Salary of Treasurer	1,100.00
Department Expenses	
Salary of Paymaster	450.00
Tax Titles	1,000.00
Other Expenses	1,900.00
Collector's Department	
Salary of Collector	1,700.00
Salaries of Clerks	1,984.58
Other Expenses	1,575.00
Assessors' Department	
Salaries of Board:	
Chairman	1,100.00
Secretary	1,100.00
Other Member	990.00
Department Expenses	
Salaries of Clerks	4,418.51
Allowance Use of Auto	125.00
Other Expenses	525.00

Legal Department	
Salary of Town Counsel	1,200.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00
Town Clerk's Department	
Salary of Town Clerk	2,200.00
Department Expenses	
Clerk Hire	972.40
Other Expenses	400.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Election and Registration	
Salaries of Registrars	467.50
Other Expenses	2,340.00
Election Expense — Selectmen	
Election Officers	563.20
Other Expenses	142.00
Town Hall	
Janitors' Salaries	2,860.00
Other Expenses	3,161.00
Lafayette Building	
Janitors' Salaries	1,660.00
Other Expenses	2,034.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $118,109.17 to be apportioned as follows:

Police Department	
Salary of Chief	$ 3,200.00
Salary of Lieutenant	2,900.00
Salaries of Sergeants	5,200.00
Salaries of Regular Patrolmen and/or substitutes therefor	31,070.00
Salary of Clerk	1,147.67
Pensions—Gervase V. Stanley, E. M. Rowe	2,190.00
Other Expenses	5,929.00
Fire Department	
Salary of Chief	2,900.00
Salary of Captain	2,600.00
Salary of Lieutenant	2,475.00
Salaries of Regular Firemen and/or substitutes therefor	26,290.00
Other Expenses	7,892.50
Hydrant Rental	9,550.00

Moth Department	
Salary of Superintendent	2,500.00
Wages of Other Employees	4,730.00
Other Expenses	1,150.00
Building Inspector	
Salary	1,980.00
Allowance for Auto	150.00
Other Expenses	75.00
Sealer of Weights and Measurers	
Salary	715.00
Allowance for Truck	200.00
Other Expenses	25.00
Dog Officer—Salary	660.00
Animal Inspector—Salary	330.00
Forest Warden	150.00
Forest Warden Patrol	300.00
Wire Inspector—Salary	300.00
Compensation Account	1,500.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Motion by Finance Committee:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $30,267.15 to be apportioned as follows:

Health Department	
Salaries of Board	$ 330.00
Department Expenses	
Salary of Agent	550.00
Salary of Nurse	1,716.00
Salary of Milk Inspector	550.00
Salary of Plumbing Inspector	550.00
Other Expenses	7,640.00
Care of Dumps	1,950.00
Garbage Collection	5,600.00
Sewer Department	
Sewer Maintenance:	
Salary of Superintendent	307.65
Salaries of Clerks	368.50
Salary of Paymaster	55.00
Other Expenses	6,650.00
Sewer Connections	4,000.00

Amendment by George J. Evans:

That the item of Other Expenses be amended to read $8,340. instead of $7,640., making a total of $30,967.15 for Health and Sanitation.

Amendment voted in the affirmative.

Original motion, as amended, then voted in the affirmative.

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $141,221.11 to be apportioned as follows:

Welfare Department		
Salaries of Board		$ 550.00
Outside Relief		24,110.00
Outside Relief Administration		
Salaries of Agent and Clerks		3,844.87
Other Expenses		700.00
Aid to Dependent Children		10,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children Administration		
Salaries of Agent and Clerks		300.00
and that balance of $727.21 be taken from available Federal Funds.		
Other Expenses		100.00
Outside Relief Unpaid Bills 1939		455.96
Outside Relief Unpaid Bills 1940		502.20
Outside Relief Unpaid Bills 1941		1,890.70
Outside Relief Unpaid Bills 1942		537.38
Old Age Assistance		69,000.00
Old Age Assistance Administration		
Salary of Investigator	$ 1,434.58	
Salary of Clerk	1,147.66	
Allowance for Auto	240.00	
Other Expenses	652.01	
	$ 3,474.25	
To be taken from available Federal Funds $2,004.25.		
To be raised and appropriated		1,470.00
Infirmary		
Salaries and Wages		$ 2,310.00
Other Expenses		5,900.00
Soldiers' Benefits		19,000.00
Soldiers' Relief Agent's Salary		550.00

GENERAL HIGHWAYS

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $44,434.58 for general highways.

Highway Department

Salary of Superintendent	$ 3,000.00
Salary of Clerk	1,434.58
Other Expenses	40,000.00

EDUCATION

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $336,420.67 to be apportioned as follows:

School Department

Salaries	$ 265,700.00
Pension—Michael J. Neary	852.67
Other Expenses	45,700.00
Trade Schools	3,000.00

Library

Salaries	16,000.00
Pension—Michael J. Neary	168.00
Other Expenses	5,000.00

And that $1,766.64 be appropriated from receipts from Dog Tax for Other Expenses.

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $86,000.00 to be apportioned as follows:

Water Department

Salaries of Board	$ 330.00
Salary of Superintendent	2,892.35
Salaries of Clerks	3,600.00
Salary of Collector-Paymaster	550.00
Other Expenses	46,392.65
Water Bonds	29,000.00
Water Interest	3,235.00

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $32,000.00 to be apportioned as follows:

Interest and Maturing Debt

Interest	$ 5,000.00
Maturing Debt	27,000.00

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Motion by Finance Committee:

That the town raise and appropriate the sum of $61,554.75 to be apportioned as follows:

Park and Cemetery Department	
Salaries of Board	$ 330.00
Park Department Expenses	
Salary of Superintendent	1,694.00
Wages of Other Employees	1,700.00
Other Expenses	3,525.00
Cemetery Department Expenses	
Salary of Superintendent	1,601.60
Wages of Employees	1,800.00
Other Expenses	1,600.00
Care of Old Cemetery	100.00
To be appropriated from Sale of Lots Fund	2,590.00
Available from Trust Fund Income	945.60
To be raised and appropriated	1,566.00
Miscellaneous Account	1,000.00
Finance Committee	125.00
Recreation Commission	1,300.00
Planning Board	100.00
Board of Appeal	200.00
Street Lights	20,000.00
Fire Alarm, Police Signal, Traffic Lights	2,000.00
Rifle Range, Company F, State Guard	500.00
Fire Insurance	4,000.00
Lake Quannapowitt	500.00
Retirement System—Pensions	21,684.00
Retirement System—Interest Deficiency	556.75
Retirement System—Expense Fund	774.00

Reserve Fund—That $22,000 be transferred from the Overlay Surplus Account to the Reserve Fund.

Amendment by William G. Dill:

That the appropriation for the Recreation Commission read $1,500, instead of $1,300, making total for Recreation and Unclassified $61,754.75.

Amendment voted in the affirmative.

Original motion, as amended, then voted in the affirmative.

LIGHT DEPARTMENT

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of $330.00 for salaries of the Light Commissioners, and a further sum of $26,518.41 for salaries to be apportioned as follows:

Manager	$ 4,112.50
Office Manager	3,069.17

Office Clerks (5)	9,116.13
Stock Clerk at Plant	1,807.58
Meter Readers (2)	3,471.70
Superintendent Electric Department	1,819.16
Chief Operator—Sub Station	2,496.17
Janitor	626.00
	$ 26,518.41

to be taken from the receipts of the department, and the balance of the receipts of the department to be appropriated for the use of the department for other expenses, provided, however, that if the income from said department shall exceed the expenses of the department for said fiscal year, the use of said excess, in whole or in part, to be determined by the 1944 Annual Town Meeting.

On motion by Frank P. Wakefield:

Voted: To adjourn until Monday evening, March 15, at 7.30 P. M.

Meeting adjourned at 9.46 P. M.

A True Record: Attendance 450

Attest: Charles F. Young, Town Clerk

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell announced the appointment of the following committee to serve under Article 2 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of March 1943:

Orrin J. Hale, L. Wallace Sweetser, Patrick E. Loughlin, William G. Dill, D. Thomas Dinan.

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George A. Bennett's nomination as Inspector of Animals approved by the Department of Agriculture, Division of Livestock Disease Control.

ADJOURNED SESSION — MARCH 15, 1943

Meeting called to order at 7.37 P. M. by Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell, Article 7 being in order.

On motion by Orrin Hale:

Voted: That Article 2 be now taken up.

ARTICLE 2

Orrin Hale, reporting for the committee appointed under Article 2, made the following nominations:

FIELD DRIVERS

Carrol Robie, Charles Doyle Jr., George A. Bennett.

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER

William E. Knox, James R. Cole, Edward C. Bowdich, Lyman Prescott, Larkin E. Bennett, Myron E. Wing.

RECREATION COMMITTEE

Mary Morgan, William G. Dill, William McKilligan, Elizabeth Neary, Emily H. Climo, James F. Keating, John J. Powers.

TOWN PLANNING BOARD

Edward M. Bridge.

On motion by Harry Marshall:

Voted: That nominations be closed.

On motion by Orrin Hale:

Voted: That the persons so nominated be declared elected.

ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of various streets; built under Chapter 90, General Laws, Ter. Ed., said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the state or county, or both, for this purpose or take any other action in relation thereto.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate $1,000 to carry out the purposes of Article 7, only such portion thereof to be exepended as may be equal to one half the sum provided by the State and County together for the same purpose.

ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept on behalf of the Town, conveyances or easements from time to time, giving the Town the right to slope land back from the street lines and to construct retaining walls.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to accept on behalf of the Town, conveyances or easements from time to time, giving the Town the right to slope back from the street lines and to construct retaining walls, such authorization to extend until the next annual town meeting.

ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to be expended by the Highway Department for construction of a cement sidewalk and curbing and to re-locate existing fence on the westerly side of Main Street, being a continuation of the present sidewalk along Lake Quannapowitt to Lowell Street.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500 to carry out the purposes of Article 9.

ARTICLE 10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,250 to construct a ganolithic sidewalk on the northerly side of Albion Street from the end of the granolithic sidewalk now completed westerly to North Avenue.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $2,250 to carry out the purposes of Article 10.

ARTICLE 11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 to construct granolithic sidewalks on various streets in the Town. —Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 11 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to sell for a nominal consideration to the United States Government or any corporation designated by it, the rails purchased by the Town from the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railroad and now laid in the various streets of the Town and contract with the purchaser for the repair of streets where said rails are so removed at no cost to the Town. —Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to sell for a nominal consideration, to the United States Government or any corporation designated by it, he rails purchased by the town from the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railroad, now laid in the various streets of the town, provided that the Selectmen contract with the purchaser for satisfactory repair of the streets where the said rails are so removed, at no cost to the town.

ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to provide indemnity for or protection to any officials or employees of the Town of Wakefield or any of them in cases provided for under the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5, Item 1 of he General Laws and raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to pay charges for effecting insurance therefor.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,900 to purchase insurance providing indemnity for or protection to any officer or employee of the town against loss by reason of his liability to pay damages to others for bodily injuries, including death at any time resulting

therefrom, or for damage to property, caused by the operation, within the scope of his official duties or employment, of motor or other vehicles owned by the town, to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars on account of injury to or death of one person, and not exceeding one thousand dollars on account of damage to property as authorized under Chapter 40, Section 5, Item 1 of the General Laws.

ARTICLE 14

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $435 to indemnify Police Officer Harold J. Maloney for medcal expenses incurred by him as the result of an injury suffered in performance of his duties as such police officer, said sum of $435 being the amount recommended by the Board of Selectmen.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $435 to indemnify Police Officer Harold J. Maloney for medical expenses incurred by him as the result of an injury suffered in performance of his duties as a police officer.

ARTICLE 15

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase, at a price not exceeding $1,500 a certain parcel of land situated at the corner of Gould and Converse Streets, said land to be used in the future for the erection of a building for use as a fire station.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 15 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 16

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to paint and make necessary repairs upon the Central Fire Station. —Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Finance Committee:

That the subject matter of Article 16 be indefinitely postponed.

The vote on this motion was in the negative.

On motion by Orrin J. Hale:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $600 for painting and necessary repairs to the Central Fire Station.

ARTICLE 17

To see if the Town will vote to accept as applicable to the Town, Section 3A of Chapter 115 of the General Laws entitled "Payment of State and Military Aid for Soldiers' Relief Regulated."—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town vote to accept, as applicable to the Town, Section 3A of Chapter 115 of the General Laws, entitled "Payment of State and Military Aid for Soldiers' Relief Regulated."

ARTICLE 18

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to provide for renovating and repairing the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, including purchase of desks or other equipment as considered necessary.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 18 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 19

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings banks, in order to establish a post-war rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 3, Acts of 1943.—Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Finance Committee:

That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 to be invested in Government War Bonds and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, to purchase such bonds with the recommendation that they be Series G War Bonds, such investment being for the purpose of establishing a post-war rehabilitation fund as provided under Chapter 3, Acts of 1943.

Amendment by L. Wallace Sweetser:

That the amount of $20,000 be invested, instead of $10,000.

The vote on this amendment was in the affirmative.

The original motion, as amended was then voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 20

To see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of ten to plan the 300th anniversary of the incorporation of the Town in 1944, in conjunction with the program planned by the First Parish and similarly appointed committees in Reading and North Reading, and to appropriate the sum of $200 for committee expenses, said committee to report to and work with the Board of Selectmen, as may be necessary during the year.—Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Finance Committee:

That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of ten to plan the 300th anniversary of the incorporation of the town in 1944 and raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for expenses of the committee.

Amendment by Cyrus M. Dolbeare:

To authorize the committee of ten to expand its membership as may be desirable from time to time.

The vote on the amendment was in the affirmative.

The Moderator announced that a two-thirds vote would be necessary to pass the $200 appropriation.

The original motion, as amended, was then voted in the affirmative by a unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 21

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Water and Sewer Board to purchase from Edward W. Edmands et al for a sum of money not exceeding $75, the following described parcels of land:

Parcel No. 1—Bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point about 60 feet from a point where the line separating the Town of Lynnfield from the Town of Wakefield intersects the southerly line of the taking by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for Reading drainage, which point is in the center of the bed of the Saugus River; thence the line runs westerly along the southerly line of said taking, about 205 feet to a point at other land of the Town of Wakefield, said point also being in the center of the bed of the Saugus River; thence northerly, easterly and southerly by the center line of the bed of the Saugus River to the point of beginning.

Parcel No. 2—Bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point 20 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of Parcel No. 1 which point is in the center line of the Saugus River and in the southerly line of the taking by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for Reading drainage; thence the line runs westerly by said southerly line of said taking about 380 feet to land of Emma F. Edmands; thence by land of Emma F. Edmands to a point in the center of the bed of the Saugus River; thence by various courses by the center line of said line of the Saugus River to the point of beginning.—Water and Sewer Board.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize the Water and Sewerage Board to purchase from Edward W. Edmands et al, land as described in Article 21 for a sum of money not exceeding $75.

ARTICLE 22

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Water and Sewer Board to sell for a nominal consideration to Edward W. Edmands, that parcel of land owned by the said Town bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the center of the Saugus River where said center line of the Saugus River intersects the Town line dividing the Towns of Lynnfield and Wakefield; thence the line runs northwesterly, westerly and northwesterly by the center line of said Saugus River to the southerly line of the taking by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Reading drainage; then easterly by said southerly line of said taking, about 60 feet to said Town line; thence southeasterly by said Town line, about 36 feet to point of beginning.—Water and Sewer Board.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize the Water and Sewerage Board to sell, for a nominal consideration, to Edward W. Edmands land as described in Article 22.

ARTICLE 23

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Lucius Beebe Memorial Library to sell to the United States Government or any agency thereof,

one typewriter now in the possession of said department.—Library Trustees.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize the Lucius Beebe Memorial Library to sell to the United States Government or any agency thereof, one typewriter now in possession of said department.

ARTICLE 24

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to execute for a term of not more than three years a contract, for the collection of garbage, the contractor to be under suitable bond. Said contract to become effective at the expiration of the present contract which expires June 30, 1943, the Board of Health giving public notice by advertising for bids.—Board of Health.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town vote to authorize the Board of Health to execute a contract for collection of garbage, said contract not to exceed a term of three years from June 30, 1943 and to be let only after giving public notice by advertising for bids.

ARTICLE 25

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex as required by law on account of assessments levied on the Town for its share of the principal of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital Funding Loan, Act of 1932 bonds maturing in 1943, issued in compliance with Chapter 10, Acts of 1932, also for any other indebtedness incurred and outstanding under said Chapter 10, also for the Town's share of the cost and interest on said bonds due in 1943, also for the care, maintenance, and repair of said Hospital for 1942 and including interest on temporary notes issued therefor in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable therefor, and for all other expenses in connection therewith, including Chapter 400, Section 25G (6) (a) of the Acts of 1936, determine how the money shall be raised, or in any way act thereon.—Board of Selectmen.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $9,510.67 to carry out the purposes of Article 25.

ARTICLE 26

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000 for Civilian Defense, as authorized by Chapter 487 of the Acts of 1941 and determine the manner in which the same may be expended.—Wakefield Committee on Public Safety.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000 for Civilian Defense, said appropriation to be in charge of the Selectmen and expended with the approval of the Finance Committee of the Wakefield Committee on Public Safety.

ARTICLE 27

To see what sum the Town will appropriate from the proceeds of sales of lots in Forest Glade Cemetery now in the Town Treasury for the care, improvement and embellishment of the cemetery.—Park and Cemetery Commissioners.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the subject matter of Article 27 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 28

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $750 to be expended by Wakefield Post, No. 2106, Veterans of Foreign Wars; Corp. Charles F. Parker Camp, No. 39, United Spanish War Veterans; Corp. Harry E. Nelson Post, No. 63, American Legion; Sons of Union Veterans; for the proper observance of Memorial Day, May 30, 1943.—Harold A. McMann and others.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $750 to carry out the purposes of Article 28.

ARTICLE 29

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50 to be expended by Corp. Harry E. Nelson Post, No. 63, American Legion, for the proper observance of Armistice Day, November 11, 1943.—Harold A. McMann and others.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $50 to carry out the purposes of Article 29.

ARTICLE 30

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $500 for nursing, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, as salary to the nurse employed by the Wakefield Visiting Nurse Association, in aid of its nursing work among the people of Wakefield.—Olga C. White and others.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $500 to carry out the purposes of Article 30.

ARTICLE 31

To see if the Town will vote to name that parcel of land acquired for and now used for park purposes at the corner of Church Street and North Avenue, "Veterans' Field."—Corp. Harry E. Nelson Post, American Legion, and others.

On motion by J. Frank Anderson:

Voted: That the parcel of land acquired for and now used for park purposes, at the corner of Church Street and North Avenue, be named by the Town, "Veterans' Field."

ARTICLE 32

To see if the Town will purchase from the Albion Street Realty Company the premises on Albion Street now used by the Municipal Light Department as its office at a purchase price of $26,500, the same to be paid for out of the Depreciation Fund of the Municipal Light Plant, and provide that these premises shall be under the control and management of the Municipal Light Board.—Municipal Light Board.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town purchase from the Albion Street Realty Company the property mentioned in Article 32 and for the purposes therein stated at a price not to exceed $26,500, the same to be paid out of the Depreciation Fund of the Municipal Light Department, said property being shown as Lots A and B on a plan as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed in the Registry of Deeds for the South Registry District of Middlesex County in Registration Book 93, Page 53 with certificate 13972.

ARTICLE 33

To see if the Town will vote to return to the Town Treasurer, a sum not exceeding $35,000, being part of the balance of the Operating Fund of the Municipal Light Department as of December 31, 1942, and to authorize the Assessors to use the same in computing the tax rate for 1943; and also to see if the Town will authorize the Municipal Light Department to transfer the remainder of the balance of its Operating Fund as of December 31, 1942, to a Reserve Fund to be used for construction purposes and for purchasing equipment, materials and supplies and for labor and for such other requirements as may be needed for the defense and protection of the property under the control of the Municipal Light Department.—Municipal Light Board.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the sum of $35,000, being part of the balance of the Operating Fund of the Municipal Light Department as of December 31, 1942, be returned to the Town Treasury and the Assessors be hereby authorized to use the same in computing the tax rate for 1943 and authorize the Municipal Light Department to transfer from its Operating Fund $7,755.94 to a Reserve Fund to be used for Construction purposes and for purchasing equipment, materials and supplies and for labor and for such other requirements as may be needed for the defense and protection of the property under the control of the Municipal Light Department, this latter sum being the remainder of the balance in its Operating Fund as of December 31, 1942.

ARTICLE 34

To see if the Town will vote to transfer to Revenue, the balance of WPA funds amounting to $1,275.02 as shown on the books of the Town. —Town Accountant.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town vote to transfer to Revenue, the balance of WPA funds amounting to $1,275.02, as shown on the books of the Town.

On motion by Harry Marshall:

Voted: To take up Article 1.

ARTICLE 1

On motion by Harry Marshall:

Voted: That the reports of town officers, as published, be accepted.

ARTICLE 35

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Assessors to use such free cash as may be in the Treasury or any part thereof, in computing the tax rate for the current year.—Charles C. Cox, Town Accountant.

On motion by Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Board of Assessors use no free cash, now in the Treasury, in computing the tax rate for 1943.

Frank P. Wakefield requested unanimous consent to offer a motion extending thanks to the Finance Committee, and there being no objection, the Moderator entertained the motion.

On motion by Frank P. Wakefield:

Voted: That the Finance Committee be extended a vote of thanks of this meeting for their work in considering and making recommendations for the annual town meeting.

FINANCE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell announced the following appointments of five members of the Finance Committee for a term of three years: Arthur M. Moore, Edwin L. Nute, D. Thomas Dinan, Joseph B. Burke, George J. Evans.

On motion by Theodore Eaton:

Voted: That this meeting be dissolved.

Attendance, 175.

Meeting dissolved at 9.48 P. M.

A True Copy,
Attest: Charles F. Young, Town Clerk

March 16, 1943

George A. Bennett appointed Inspector of Animals by the Board of Selectmen.

March 30, 1943

(Appointment of Dr. C. E. Montague to Board of Health)

Acting under the provisions of Chapter 708, Section 11 of the Acts of 1941, the following officials met in the Selectmen's room at 8.15 P. M. on Tuesday, March 30, 1943:

Orrin J. Hale, William R. Lindsay, L. Wallace Sweetser, William G. Dill, and Ernest L. Brown, constituting the Board of Selectmen.

Charles F. Young, Town Clerk.

John I. Preston, Town Treasurer.

Thomas G. O'Connell, Moderator.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Orrin J. Hale of the Board of Selectmen.

John I. Preston nominated Dr. Charles E. Montague for Acting Officer to serve on the Board of Health during the absence of Dr. Robert Dutton, who is serving in the U. S. Army.

The nomination was seconded by William G. Dill.

It was then voted that the nominations be closed.

Result of the Vote: A call of the ayes and nays resulted in a unanimous vote for Dr. Charles E. Montague, and he was declared elected.

Meeting dissolved at 8.22 P. M.

A True Record,

Attest: Charles F. Young, Town Clerk

April 2, 1943

George A. Bennett sworn into office as Animal Inspector.

April 5, 1943

Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell announced the appointment of the following committee under Article 20 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1943:

George W. Abbott, Patrick H. Tenney, Cyrus M. Dolbeare, Orrin J. Hale, Mrs. W. S. Ripley, James F. Keating, Miss Mary G. Hickey, William G. Dill, William E. Eaton, Morrison Merrill.

August 30, 1943

Resignation of William B. Stantial.

The resignation of William B. Stantial, member of the Water and Sewerage Board, received in the office of the Town Clerk, and referred to the Board of Selectmen.

August 31, 1943

Committee of 25—Post War Work.

Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell, this date, announced the appointment of Sidney F. Adams to succeed William B. Stantial as a member of the committee appointed under Article 1 of the warrant for the Town Meeting of March 9, 1942.

TOWN MEETING—NOVEMBER 1, 1943

Meeting called to order at 7.33 P. M. by Moderator Thomas G. O'Connell, who read the call for the meeting.

On motion by Howard Jones:

Voted: That reading of the balance of the warrant, with the exception of the constable's return, be dispensed with.

ARTICLE 1

To see if the Town will authorize the Park and Cemetery Commissioners to purchase or construct a new life boat at a cost not to exceed $350, payment for same to be made from the appropriation of the Park Department for Other Expenses.—Park and Cemetery Commissioners.

On motion by Frederick W. Bliss for the Finance Committee:

Voted: That the Town authorize the Park and Cemetery Commissioners to purchase or construct a new life boat at a cost not to exceed $150, payment for same to be made from the appropriation for the Park Department for Other Expenses.

ARTICLE 2

To hear and act upon a report of the Board of Selectmen laying out a town way under the Betterment Act in substantially the same location of the private way known as Atwood Street, running southerly from Oak Street approximately 800 feet, and appropriate money for the construction thereof through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942, and/or from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the Police Department for pensions for the year 1943.—Board of Selectmen.

The Moderator read the report of the Selectmen on the laying out of the Town way known as Atwood Street, and announced that the plan and profile of the way might be inspected by any voter who desired to.

On motion by Frederick W. Bliss:

Voted: That the town accept and allow the report of the Board of Selectmen, laying out a town way in substantially the location of the private way known as Atwood Street, all as shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk with said report; and that the town appropriate the sum of $365 for construction of said street, through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942.

ARTICLE 3

To hear and act upon a report of the Board of Selectmen laying out a town way under the Betterment Act in substantially the same location of the private way known as Webster Street, running westerly from center line of Atwood Street approximately 120 feet and running easterly from center line of Atwood Street approximately 150 feet, and appropriate

money for the construction thereof through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942, and/or from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the Police Department for pensions for the year 1943.—Board of Selectmen.

The Moderator read the report of the Selectmen on the laying out of the Town way known as Webster Street and announced that the plan and profile were filed with the report.

On motion by Frederick W. Bliss:

Voted: That the Town accept and allow the report of the Board of Selectmen laying out a town way in substantially the location of the private way known as Webster Street, all as shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk with said report; and that the Town appropriate the sum of $90 for construction of said street through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942.

ARTICLE 4

To hear and act upon a report of the Board of Selectmen laying out a town way under the Betterment Act in substantially the same location of the private way known as Robert Street, running northerly and northeasterly from Forest Street to Meriam Street approximately 1,000 feet, and appropriate money for the construction thereof through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942, and/or from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the Police Department for pensions for the year 1943.—Board of Selectmen.

The moderator read the report of the Selectmen on the laying out of the Town way known as Robert Street, and announced that the plan and profile were filed with the report.

On motion by Frederick W. Bliss:

Voted: That the town accept and allow the report of the Board of Selectmen laying out a Town way in substantially the location of the private way known as Robert Street, all as shown on a plan filed with the Town Clerk with said report, and that the town appropriate for construction of said street the sum of $2.09 through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance under Article 12 of the Annual Town Meeting Warrant for 1942, and the sum of $682.91 through transfer from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the Police Department for pensions for the year 1943.

On motion by Charles C. Cox:

Voted: That this meeting be dissolved:

Meeting dissolved at 7.49 P. M.
Attendance 51.

A true record,
Attest: Charles F. Young, Town Clerk

Record of Births

Any errors or omissions noted in these records should be reported to the Town Clerk at once.

Date	Name of Child	Parents
Jan.		
2	Gleason Robert Ayers	Gleason W. and Marion A. (Pratt)
2	Patricia Joan Ball	Harold and Rita M. (Gleason)
3	Donna Jean Terry	Harvey S. and Gertrude F. (Lamprey)
6	John Vincent Robbins, Jr.	John V. and Mildred L. (Rowe)
6	Robert Butler	William H. and Helen C. (Kennedy)
7	Terry Carl Hodges	Carleton H. and Gwendolyn (Glidden)
8	William Francis Curley	John J. and Lillian (Holt)
9	David Lester Collins	Lester J. and Bernice E. (Bennett)
9	Gloria Ann Pilgrim	Wilfred H. and Mary B. (Russo)
12	Jean Terese Melanson	Elion J. and Nellie M. (LeFave)
12	Joan Claire Melanson	Elion J. and Nellie M. (LeFave)
12	Carol Evelyn Martino	John and Evelyn G. (Chetwynde)
13	Susan Webster Smith	Wilmer Eustis and Phyllis B. (Hartford)
13	Susan Carolyn Smith	Stephen W. and Dorothy C. (Pike)
13	Charles Joseph Williams, Jr.	Charles J. and Catherine (Sayles)
15	Robert Harry Dickey	Carlton L. and Blanche (Matters)
17	Francis Joseph Keen, Jr.	Francis J. and Mary (Luciano)
19	Sandra Smithell	William C. and Rose A. (Paicopolos)
20	Lucy Anne Tribble	William D. and Annette H. (Callan)
20	Brenda Rose Quinn	John L. and Josephine (McIntosh)
21	Francis Xavier McCarthy	Francis J. and Eleanor E. (Toutain)
22	Carl Raymond Olsson	Carl R. and Mildred L. (Raymond)
23	Ronald Knox Noble	Paul Steadman and Marjorie (Know)
25	David Leonard LaFave	John L. and Mary M. (Muise)
26	Leslie Bruno DiCicco	Dominic L. and Regina R. (McGrath)
26	David Richard Biscare	Robert Charles and Edith (Curley)
28	James Edward Gascoigne	Edward J. and Frances (Purdy)
28	Beverly Ann Decker	Wilmot H. and Glena (Bruce)
30	Joan Leslie Kondrato	Charles and Ruby F. (Willson)
30	Robert William O'Connor, Jr.	Robert W. and Grace M. (Devlin)
Feb.		
1	Joan Donata Carney	John E. and Jennie (Caruso)
1	Ronald Stanley Fitzpatrick, Jr.	Ronald S. and Agnes (Ramsdell)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
3	Paul Vingerhoet	Remie and Adelaide (Murphy)
4	Vincent Theodore Caracoglia	Joseph J. and Catherine J. (Foley)
5	Herbert Stanley Miller	Morris A. and Dorothy D. (Kassner)
8	Susane O'Shea	William E. and Florence (Nutile)
8	Sandra Arnold	Richard T. and Catherine (Merrill)
9	Frank Ross Hook	Melvin R. and Erma (McFee)
10	Nancy Jean Hurd	Bernard C. and Gertrude (Dillon)
12	Judith Ann Abel	Harold J. and Phyllis (Stevens)
12	William Henry Fox	William E. and Helen (Subzda)
13	Janice Ann Christie	Otis L. and Mary Joan (Hubbard)
14	Robert Santonelli	Guido and Louise (Romano)
14	Christopher Coviello	Christopher and Ida E. (Cittadine)
15	Deanna Mae Wyeth	Harold K. and Mary A. (DiDonato)
16	Gerald John McDonough	William F. and Mary M. (Curran)
17	Margaret Gertrude Murphy	Joseph F. and Florence Mae (Riley)
17	Janet Louise Pettingill	James E. and Pauline (Hyson)
19	John Richard Callahan, Jr.	John R. and Ruth E. (Gross)
20	Kathleen Mary Joyce	Walter A. and Grace E. (Manning)
21	Donna Louise Breton	Gerard E. and Edith F. (Leone)
21	Michael Roy Ducrow	James E. and Carrie (Coffin)
23	———— Carlson	Paul G. and Margaret R. (Rice)
23	James Allison Hogg, Jr.	James A. and Ruth E. (Winter)
24	Elaine Mary Robinson	Edward N. and Jennie M. (Dulong)
24	Dudley Furber Holden, 3rd	Dudley F. and Martha (Richardson)
24	James Leo Garvin	Delwood J. and Leota (Straw)
25	Louis Joseph Colucci, Jr.	Louis J. and Helen (Kozlowski)
25	Marcia Gay Nichols	Lionel Strout and Margaret A. (Curran)
26	Jacqulyne Alice Lux	John A. and Frances A. (Callahan)
27	Mary Lou Krawczyk	Louis and Mary B. (Naroski)
27	Judy Anne Benedetto	George A. and Annie Belle (Taylor)
Mar.		
1	Peter Alvin Brewer	Alvin D. and Jennie Elizabeth (Andrews)
2	Alan Robert Shulman	Charles and Evelyn (Polimer)
3	Diane Mary Burns	Earl W. and Blanche T. (Logan)
3	Paula Shea	Paul C. and Elga (Cater)
3	Linda Joyce Philbrick	Roger E. and Mary L. (Doucette)
4	David Eugene Fields	Edward H. and Virginia P. (Haradon)
4	David Owen Hoyt	Laurence B. and Mary M. (Dignan)
6	Robert Arnold Steeves	Arnold and Annie (Smith)
6	Richard Westcott	Melvin W. and Dorothy (Bacheller)
8	Dennis Victor Drinkwater	John A. and Cecelia G. (Vardaro)
9	Linda Jean Newbegin	Mark A. and Phyllis E. (Reid)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
9	William Howard Seabury	Howard William and Evelyn L. (Reynolds)
9	Stephen Edward Curran	William E. and Margaret M. (Hurton)
13	Russell Gilman Spaulding	Rodney G. and Anna J. (Shipley)
13	Sandra Jeanne DeFelice	Frederick and Catherine A. (Whalen)
13	Cynthia Anne Marsh	Robert E. and Mary Elizabeth (Tucker)
15	Marcia Anne Cotter	John J. and Grace (Dwyer)
15	John Anthony Carbone	Vito J. and Mary Elizabeth (O'Donnell)
15	Stephen Laurence Foss	Laurence M. and Barbara L. (Johnson)
15	Richard Andrew Preece	Norman Alfred and Mary Theresa (Andrews)
20	Samuel Wesley Keats	John and Myrtle (Runson)
21	Carol Ann DeMarco	Thomas J. and Anna E. (Callahan)
21	Walter Francis Roach	Walter T. and Frances O. (Munier)
21	Susan Audrey Brown	Paul and Beatrice Herma (Des Roches)
23	David Howard Miles	Howard W. and Rita V. (LeFave)
23	William Herbert Pillsbury	Grover Cleveland and Mabel A. (Wyman)
25	Carol Ann Sherman	Sumner M. and Viola S. (Davison)
25	Nancy Helen Cooper	George F. and Florence H. (Randlett)
25	Richard Gordon Batchelder	Robert W. and Ruth (Carliss)
26	Barbara Ann Haladay	Ferdinand J. and Fernanda (Pica)
26	Chester Allen Foss	Ralph P. and Gertrude E. (Magoon)
27	Nancy Mae Stupp	David W. and Maidelle B. (Card)
27	Herbert Loren Frizzell, Jr.	Herbert L. and Mabel J. (McManuis)
29	Matthew Brendan O'Keefe	Brendan T. and Mary Lucey (Tecce)
31	Thomas Wilfred Borgal	George C. and Marie (Bissett)
31	Stephen Orrin Dobbin	Rollins E. and Barbara (Bridgham)
Apr.		
3	Brian McCormack	Harry B. and Barbara A. (Malcolm)
3	David Paul Gaw	Stanley H. and Jennie A. (Haladay)
5	Linda Fay Lawrence	Frank W. and Mabelle E. (Dexter)
7	Linda Ann Dearborn	Elmer N. and Gertrude A. (Winn)
7	Virginia Lee Rees	James C. and Virginia M. (Doucette)
7	Claire Jean Wilde	George H. and Delia (Donnellan)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
7	William Henry Grant	William D. and Evelyn (Trecartin)
11	Charles Brett Harrison	Edison R. and Vera M. (Dutcher)
11	Ronald Vilroy Dimock, Jr.	Ronald V. and Barbara (Raddin)
12	Pauline Doris Drayton	William B. and Doris V. (Sanville)
13	Kathryn Rita Murphy	Edward F. and Catherine T. (Morris)
13	Barbara Jean Gauthier	Richard P. and Mary E. (Flynn)
13	Judith Eileen MacKinnon	Albert E. and Margaret M. (Sheahan)
14	Leo Francis Beane, Jr.	Leo F. and Elizabeth M. (Walsh)
14	Judith Rose Bell	Albert and Hazel (Collins)
14	Jean Katherine Meuse	Richard R. and Rita Mary (DeVeau)
15	Jean Louise Landry	Augustine and Chantal (D'Entremont)
15	Sandra Jeanne Strout	Clinton I. and Alma M. (Johnson)
15	Lee Ann Rogers	Walter T. and Margaret (Long)
16	Paul Vincent Bilicki	Theodore J. and Rose (Cucurullo)
17	Charles Everett Alden	Walter F. and Marion E. (Daland)
18	Peter Wallace Coleman	Orval L. and Mabel E. (Burnett)
19	John Sutherland	Robert H. and Lorna G. (Corbett)
20	Judith Marie Stiles	Raymond C. and Viorene (Livernois)
24	Edward Patrick Holleran	John H. and Muriel (DeSousa)
24	Ellen Lorraine DeVries	John S. and Rose H. (Bogan)
24	Dianna Lafaille	Peter J. and Mary I. (Symonds)
26	Sandra Gavel Wilkes	Harry G. and Dorothy (DeRenne)
27	Beverly Amelia Gregorio	Nicholas J. and Marjorie R. (Crummett)
27	Brenda Jane Foster	Eugene L. and Jane (Goodin)
27	Harold Francis Shea, Jr.	Harold F. and Evelyn G. (Davis)
29	Edwin Wesley Robbins	Charles S. and Marion L. (Beyea)
30	Bruce Albert Watts	Albert F. and Edith (Glueck)
30	Donald Scollin Bruce	Paul W. and Marguerite M. (Scollin)
May		
1	Judith Ann Mitchell	Joseph P. and Hazel A. (Sims)
2	Roberta Ann Doucette	George R. and Pauline F. (Meuse)
3	Mary Margaret Phipps	Merton R. and Lillian M. (Bridges)
3	Mary Ann Segnini	Anthony and Mary (Frediani)
4	Lars Johan Eriksson	Valfrid and Mabel (Hanson)
5	Roger David Balser	Roger A. and Genevieve L. (Coron)
6	Maurice Edward Walsh	Maurice L. and Beatrice W. (Buck)
6	Karen Hoag Larson	Eric V. and Florence I. (Hoag)
7	Susan Toth	John S. and Maida (Purrington)
8	Elaine Mary Hayward	Raymond E. and Mary T. (Worthylake)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
9	Jean Marie Quinlan	Aubrey T. and Juliette A. (Jean)
11	Daniel Buker Clarke	John L. and Evelyn (Buker)
12	Carol Ann Dingle	Leon Barnard and Lillian A. (Cottreau)
13	Paul Thomas Constantino	Salvatore T. and Shirley C. (Leavitt)
13	Sylvia Mae Washburn	Howard T. and Iva (Pruett)
13	Stanley Edward DeRocher	Wilfred L. and Doris (Hanning)
14	Leslie Christine Workman	Robert A. and Katherine C. Miller)
14	Beverly Lewis	Paul E. and Barbara (Richards)
15	Thomas Francis Walsh	John J. and Margaret F. (Dame)
16	Marcia Lee Toussaint	Leopold J. and Blanche R. (O'Connell)
19	Mary Kathleen Galvin	Henry F. and Mary I. (Lennon)
19	Carl Erich Pletsch	Erich C. and Mary L. (Hart)
20	Beverly Ann Kinsley	Charles L. and Marian G. (Flukes)
20	Ronald Angelo Caracoglia	Charles C. and Rose (Campanella)
21	Gail Patricia Robinson	Claude A. and Marjorie M. (Hansell)
23	———— Mitchell	Herbert G. and Dorothy M. (Fraughton)
25	Joseph George McWhinnie	Percy C. and Lillian G. (Barsil)
25	———— Gray	Jess R. and Mary (Mark)
26	Rosemary Mahoney	John F. and Alice P. (Donahoe)
27	Barbara Mae Jones	Stanley H. and Helen L. (LeFave)
27	Robert Joseph Clynes	Thomas C. and Rita Mary (Cyr)
29	Kenneth Robert Crandall	Kenneth R. and Myra (Newell)
29	Theodore Forrester Thomas	Hiram F. and Carolyn (Reams)
29	John Anthony Rich	Frederick P. L. and Susie Eleanor (Leone)
29	Lee James Janvrin	James L. and Rita M. (Livernois)
June		
2	David Lazzaro	Paul and Jeanne (Rivers)
3	David Matthew Courtenay	Richard L. and Catherine (Stefan)
4	Betsy Joyce	Thomas A. and Grace M. (Alders)
7	David Arthur Smith	Arthur J. and Esther (Phipps)
7	Meredith Roxanne Grant	Edward D. and Ada A. (Moore)
8	———— Jaynes	Arthur C. and Aloha (Fall)
8	Claudia Eloise Huff	Alonzo N. and Mary (DelRossi)
8	Patricia Ann Carroll	Leonard D. and Agnes (Doucette)
9	Margaret Susan McLennan	Allan J. and Ruth (Deadman)
9	Lawrence Roy Muse, Jr.	Lawrence R. and Marie L. (Verrette)
11	Edward Clinton Folger, 3rd	Edward Clinton and Helen (Twyman)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
12	Donald Paul Finney	William J. and Margery F. (Hatch)
12	Dorothy Ann Burns	Franklin A. and Hectorine G. (Arel)
13	Patrick Anthony Drinkwater	Patrick and Anna A. (McHale)
14	Richard Gesualdo	Guy and Filomena (Natolo)
14	David Edward Griffin	Albert W. and Mary (Seabury)
15	Walter Irving Hatch	Walter I. and Frances (Jeffrey)
16	Carol Ann Golini	Thomas and Marian C. (Tropiano)
16	David Francis Egan, Jr.	David F. and Mary V. (Fitzgerald)
17	Lee Blanche Marshall	Edward Douglas and Beatrice (Dombeck)
18	Gayle Elaine Nardone	Joseph and Dorothy J. (Crosby)
20	Silvia Ann Sampson	Frederick and Thedda (Vine)
21	Susan Butters	Roland W. and Florence (Duston)
23	Michael Lee DelRossi	Michael S. and Rita Mary (Toussaint)
24	Brenda June Croce	John Peter and Pauline Ella (Pinckney)
26	John James Duval, Jr.	John J. and Jessie K. (Muse)
27	Penelope Lynch Alcorn	Joseph N. and Mariann J. (Lynch)
30	Brenda Jean Gregory	Edward N. and Laura H. (Antonioli)
July		
1	Robert Michael Walsh	Joseph W. and Bernice (Gaudley)
1	William Alan Faulkner	William H. and Ethel (Monahan)
3	John Arthur Riess	Warren A. and Irene M. (Cormier)
3	Joseph Albert Riess	Warren A. and Irene M. (Cormier)
3	Ian Bruce MacRobbie	John O. and Muriel A. (Thomas)
7	Ann Elizabeth Robbins	Daniel and Helen A. (Lally)
8	Sanford Wallace Beardsell	Willis, L. and Helen M. (Swanson)
8	Howard Edward Fanjoy	Chester R. and Olive M. (Merrill)
9	———— Morelli	Dario and Evelyn (DeFrancesco)
10	Carol Anne Myett	Carroll J. and Martha M. (Cryan)
11	James Robert Watkins	George R. and Rosina T. (Howard)
12	John Alan Kardaseski	John and Marion A. (Melanson)
12	Ralph Gardner Eames, 3rd	Ralph G. and Marjorie (Harris)
14	Richard Louis DeFeo	Louis and Edna A. (Mickle)
16	Martha Gail Flechtner	George and Helen (Bulpett)
17	Robert Philip Vining	Philip B. and Louise (Moriarty)
17	Robert Bell Crawford	John A. and Marion (Bell)
18	Bartholomew Dennis Barry, Jr.	Bartholomew D. and Lillian (Gill)
19	Judith Anne Evans	Carleton E. and Virginia (Tappan)
19	Jean Katherine Walsh	Walter L. and Margaret M. (Gleason)
21	Meredith Ann Cronk	Nelson E. and Ruth L. (Jones)
22	Dennis James Giuliano	James C. and Eleanor M. (Migliore)
22	Duncan Richard Power	Joseph A. and Axeline C. (Johansen)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
23	Yvonne Marie Melanson	John E. and Beatrice (Richard)
25	Richard Keith Tuck	George R. and Muriel B. (McLean)
27	Maureen McKeon	Thomas J. and Mary W. (Hennessey)
27	Charles Pennington Leonard, 3d	Charles P. and Marion (Soule)
28	Elizabeth Ann Winner	Joseph E. and Beatrice (DeMeola)
28	Walden McCloskey Dillaway	Newton L. and Hope E. (McCloskey)
28	George Richard Morton	Parker F. and Mildred E. (Lucy)
28	Charles Raymond Anderson	Herbert D. and Mary R. (MacInnis)
29	Arthur Sigvard Swanson	Arthur S. and Cora (Ruggles)
30	Beverly Ann LeBlanc	George W. and Ethel M. (Thibeault)
31	Kendall Prescott Chase	Kendall and Gladys C. (Fracker)
Aug.		
3	Otis Ray Bruce, Jr.	Otis R. and Grace F. (Vandewalle)
4	Gaile Elizabeth Shirreff	William F. and Madaline (Murphy)
7	Roberta Maynard Plummer	Edgar A. and Fannie (Storer)
10	Stevia Ann Morton	Walter E. and Helen J. (Toth)
11	Louise Mary Leone	Louis Joseph and Rose M. (Sica)
11	Enid Marcia Rosen	Simon and Ethel (Baron)
12	Paul Edward Morris	Thomas F. and Charlotte R. (Curley)
14	David Sherman Winson	Donald W. and Dorothy (Gates)
15	Nancy Hope Snow	Robert J. and Helen (Peters)
15	William Charles Duston	Harold E. and Jessie (Bunker)
16	Edward Henry Milley	Edward H. and Florence (Bunnell)
16	Sandra Jean Hatfield	Robert L. and Caroline (Wierzbowski)
16	Sandra Davis	Frank and Eva M. (Mitchell)
18	George Malcolm Phinney	Carleton C. and Edith V. (Wells)
18	Sally Dee Sayce	Robert A. and Barbara J. (Clarke)
19	Susan Mary Wallace	William T. and Dorothy E. (Walsh)
19	Robert Leo Hubbard	Peter Enos and Edna F. (Muse)
20	Brenda Alice Flight	Gilbert H. and Viola R. (Flight)
21	John Francis Curran	John T. and Ardis C. (Robinson)
22	Donald Francis Stebbins	Clarence W. and Alice (Bean)
24	Beatrice Eileen Miller	Karl F. and Marguerite (Mead)
25	Shirley Ann Crocker	Herbert R. and Sophie T. (Yazinka)
25	Donald Edwin Hornbrook	Francis J. and Ruth L. (Ericsson)
27	Arthur Joseph Roberto, Jr.	Arthur J. and Ann (Serafini)
27	Marcia Harrington	Frederick J. and Helen (Carrick)
28	Suzanne Harrison	Charles E. and Elsie I. (Griffin)
30	Kenneth Robert Swain	Fred A. and Dorothy H. (Lindsay)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
31	William Clifford Anderson	Clifford I and Margaret F. (Reardon)
31	Marcia Lorraine Farwell	Elliot Clayton and Carolyn M. (Bragdon)
Sept.		
1	Robert John Tamezeski, Jr.	Robert J. and Frances C. (Rudd)
1	John David Clinkman	John D. and Arlene L. (Phelps)
2	Grace Marie Doucette	Raymond V and Grace M. (Talbot)
2	Andrew Lloyd Hill, Jr.	Andrew L and Doris E. (Spafford)
3	John Henry Storm	Henry E. and Louise I. (Martin)
5	Robert Murray Campbell	Carl M. and Ruth (Harnden)
6	Kenneth Edward Calkins	Alford W. and Jane C. (VanDemark)
6	Barbara King	Melvin A. and Bernice (Robbins)
7	Carline Alice Hatchell	Carl L. and Helene M. (Leyden)
8	John Charles LaPointe, Jr.	John C. and Augusta C. N. (Gardiner)
8	Dianne Loretta Davis	Lawrence B. and Ernestine L. (Wood)
8	Helene Elizabeth Dale	Frederick A. and Marion Louise (Drake)
8	William Nelson Goddard	George E. and Prudence E. (Nelson)
9	Michael William Powers	Thomas F. and Catherine E. (Lowe)
10	David Franklin Morrill	Richard F. and Irene (Landry)
11	Edward Francis Cassidy	Edward and Ann (Handley)
12	Thomas Francis Kinnelly	Thomas F. and Virginia M. (Aday)
13	Michael Douglas Stanley	John N. and Sylvia L. (Brown)
14	Winship Cleveland Fuller	Lane W. and Kathryn D. (Walton)
15	Richard Alan Higgins	Robert I. and Adah T. (Hussey)
21	Ronald Allan Crowell	Francis A. and Alberta I. (Martin)
21	Kenneth Kimball Fogg	Robert A. and Alice L. (Welsch)
22	Geraldine Rita Drinkwater	Jeremiah and Florence C. (Waden)
24	Cynthia Louise Chew	John Alan and Eleanor L. (Hickey)
24	Faith Ethel Fitzgerald	Edward and Irene (Sunnerberg)
24	Robert Henry Delano	Malcolm Otis and Helen Carrie (Yazinka)
26	Mary Fanchon Wills	Thomas A. and Polly (Howard)
26	David James Middleton Proctor	Carleton F. and Dorothy (Reid)
26	John Dennis Shaver	John W. and Betty G. (Schmidt)
27	Jonathan Walfred Hedman	Carl I. and Barbara A. (Anderson)
27	Edgar Malone Almeida	Francis E. and Emma G. (Malone)
30	John Douglas Rood	William and Mildred R. (Bray)
Oct.		
1	Nancy Joyce McCauley	Charles L and Ellen R. (Morse)
1	Linda Johnson	Albert M. and Marjorie R. (Scott)
2	Eileen Ann Hennessey	Thomas and Irene E. (Daley)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
3	Donna Therese Daley	Paul C. and Therese K. (Grourke)
3	John Blair Hennessey	John P. and Elizabeth (Blair)
5	Ronald James Robbins	Joseph A. and Leona L. (Doucette)
7	Stephen Adams Agurkis	John R. and Elizabeth H. (Wells)
9	Harold Martin Schiffbauer, Jr.	Harold M. and Marjorie A. (Galvin)
9	John Salvator Sava	Santo and Irene (Serrentino)
10	Ann Fay Dulong	Arthur F. and Helen L. (Hurley)
10	Judith Anne Anderson	Arthur H. and Anna M. (Treacy)
11	John Rogers	Gregory William and Doris E. (Casault)
12	Donna Marie Parton	Billie and Genevieve (Perks)
12	Cynthia May Price	Charles S. and Ardella K. (Gudzevich)
14	Marcia Lois Cahoon	Chester C. and Muriel C. (Wood)
16	David Whitehill Lewis	Albion W. and Dorothy J. (Davis)
16	Janice Elaine Kimball	William and Phyllis B. (Kurkjian)
16	George Everett Daland	George M. and Alice E. (Luken)
18	Richard Roger Turner	Harold Roger and Helen (Brickett)
18	———— Johnson	Sten W. and Mary (Marchetti)
18	Lawrence Owen Brehaut	Owen F. and Jean C. (Bartnick)
19	Peter Francis Buxton	William C. and Constance R. (Cole)
20	Janet Pietrafitta	James John and Sara J. (Lambert)
20	David Andrew French	Luther H. and Frances E. (Love)
20	John Thomas Collins	Michael F. and Elizabeth (Grady)
21	Warren Harold Dugmore	Harold and Muriel (Gadsby)
22	Janice Meredith Andem	Wadsworth and Merle (Lang)
22	Joel Ronald Andem	Wadsworth and Merle (Lang)
22	Sheila Ann Palumbo	Joseph and Mary T. (King)
23	Frances Ann Gerniglia	Matthew R. and Marion C. (Malonson)
23	Donna Marie Moore	George W. and Margaret H. (Surrette)
26	Beverly Ann Pamp	Axel H. and Phillis D. (Arnesen)
27	Loyd Carney	Loyd and Mary B. (Foley)
27	James Ensign Nickerson	Walter E. and Madeline H. (Cronkhite)
30	Linda Elizabeth Canty	John J. and Beatrice V. (Phelps)
30	Eileen Gaffney	Charles A. and Ann (Rosati)
31	Karen Jean Doucet	Timothy W. and Ruth G. (Lindsay)
31	Mary Jane Connors	Joseph R. and Mary E. (Stone)
Nov.		
1	Henry James Steadman	Henry D. and Mary V. (Baril)
2	Stephen Marshall Carleton	Roy H. and Ruth (Marshall)
3	Patricia Ann Peters	Andres S. and Mary A. (Ryan)
4	Jean Ellen Crowell	William D. and Dorothy R. (Bennett)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
6	John Joseph O'Keeffe	John Joseph and Louise (Clemens)
10	Norman Leroy Goodwin	Lloyd C. and Ethel Isabel E. (Hamilton)
10	Martha Amy Sherrill	Edgar A. and Amy Fiske (Sawyer)
11	Patricia Ann Cronin	John G. and Mary L. (Jack)
12	Carl Joseph Finley, Jr.	Carl Joseph and Ethel R. (Gallagher)
12	Lawrence Harry Malmsten	Harry Ernest and Rena (Fuller)
14	Maryalyce Dyer	John T. and Alice F. (Breagy)
15	Ernest Earl Climenson, Jr.	Ernest E. and Mona A. (Watson)
16	William Hensil Ruby, 3rd	William H. and Marion E. (Winter)
16	Ronald Joseph DeFelice	Joseph and Mary V. (Robbins)
16	Robert Allan Doucette	William and Catherine E. McCauley)
18	———— Curley	James and Mary M. (Keane)
19	George Raymond Dreher	George R. and Carolyn (Miles)
19	Robert Warren Hawkins	Warren A. and N. Marguerite (Dinan)
19	Harriet Gale Brinn	Harold C. and Helen W. (O'Brien)
20	Jeffrey Maurice Willmore	Maurice G. and Helen V. (Powers)
21	Mary Louise Derfler	Fred O. and Helen E. (Blodgett)
21	Walter Harrison Morse, Jr.	Walter H. and Katherine (Haskell)
23	Linda Joyce Warnock	Edwin W. and Ruth (Pearson)
24	Craig Foster Finney	Winsor L., Jr., and Irma F. (Foster)
25	Winslow Bradlee Gerrish	Winslow F. and Barbara (Grace)
Dec.		
4	Thomas Michael Burke	Thomas J. and Eleanor R. (Greene)
8	Bonnie Gail Douglas	Ralph H. and Eileen (Lund)
10	Janet Marie Fisher	William E. and Elizabeth J. (O'Connor)
10	Judith Ann Hatch	John D. and Ruth Elizabeth (Packard)
10	Janet Lee Hatch	John D. and Ruth Elizabeth (Packard)
10	David Francis Wall	Francis D. and Grace L. (Donahoe)
12	Karen Ann Lee	John W. and Anne (O'Brien)
12	George Thompson	Sydney S. and Florence L. (LeDoux)
15	Maureen Howard	Francis G. and Mary J. (Paon)
15	Joseph Albert Novello, Jr.	Joseph A. and Mary (Salesi)
15	Martha Louise Canty	Francis D. and Evelyn (Austin)
16	Paula Mae Caracoglia	Paul and Doris M. (Pilgrim)
16	———— Hurley	George E. and Mary R. (Connors)
17	John Olai Johnsen	John O. and Margaret C. (MacDonald)

Date	Name of Child	Parents
18	Josephine Gavel DeRenne	Lawrence L. and Anna M. (Siedzik)
18	Richard Anthony Scheri	Anthony and Dorothy F. (DeVeau)
21	Charles Richard Coults, Jr.	Charles R. and Marjorie T. (Scott)
20	Linda Fae Stewart	Max E. and Edith E. (Salls)
22	Ralph Charles Bowser	Franklin W. and Fannie (Cerretani)
22	Michael Joseph Gross	William L. and Lumina A. (Savoie)
22	Daniel Francis Seddon	Francis and Rita (Illingworth)
23	Donald Wesley Mason	Charles W. and Mary Evelyn (Stinson)
24	William Bruce Stewart	William J. and Marguerite (Whynot)
27	Robert Alan Mason	Warren W. and Elizabeth M. (Langley)
28	Judith Gail Rice	Christopher R. and June G. (Hammond)
28	Murray Charles Airhart, Jr.	Murray C. and Doris (Climo)
28	Richard Joseph Manzella	Michael M. and Pansy M. (Qinzio)
30	Donald Arthur Seavey	Murray A. and Astrid (Josephson)
31	Edward Purdy Knowlton	Allan F. and Margaret E. (Purdy)

Record of Marriages

Any errors or omissions noted in these records should be reported to the Town Clerk at once.

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
Jan.			
1	Wakefield	Armand Trudel	Lowell
		Irene C. Benedetto	Wakefield
3	Wakefield	John Croce	Wakefield
		Pauline Pinckney	Wakefield
4	Wakefield	Gray B. Brockbank	Wakefield
		Lucy H. Armstrong (Hughes)	Wakefield
8	Dorchester	Edward R. Leichner	Lynnfield
		Dorothy G. Beyea	Wakefield
8	Wakefield	Chester E. Roberts	Reading
		Winifred Corbett	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Earl Cox	Wakefield
		Bertha Vik	Wakefield
17	Medford	Murray C. Airhart	New London, Conn.
		Doris M. Climo	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Clarence Rich	Wakefield
		Mildred Fay	Wakefield
24	Roxbury	Charles T. Cerretani	Wakefield
		Irene C. McLeod	Roxbury
31	Somerville	Carmine A. Storti	Wakefield
		Florence Belviso	Somerville
31	Wakefield	Clarence P. Stewart	Wakefield
		Elsie Hodgdon (Fay)	Wakefield
Feb.			
5	Haverhill	Charles C. Framiglio	Wakefield
		Rose Mary D'Ambrosio	Haverhill
6	Wakefield	Joseph L. Hubbard	Wakefield
		Eleanor M. Riley	Wakefield
11	Wakefield	Herbert Crocker	Wakefield
		Sophie Yazinka	Wakefield
15	Wakefield	Nils G. Gustafson	Wakefield
		Evelyn D. Johnson	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	John G. Cronin	Wakefield
		Mary L. Jack	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	Stanley S. Hart	Barre, Vt.
		Dorothy E. Davis	Wakefield
21	East Boston	Arnold T. Kelley	Wakefield
		Anna R. Sullivan	East Boston

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
25	Brighton	Richard D. Greenleaf	Wakefield
		Ethel J. MacPhail	Arlington
27	Wakefield	B. George Frizzell	Wakefield
		Catherine M. Faulkner	Reading
27	Wakefield	Brendan H. Cryan	Wakefield
		Virginia M. LeBlanc	Wakefield
28	Wakefield	Merle W. Westover	Lynnfield Ctr.
		Margaret M. McLaughlin	Wakefield
Mar.			
2	Reading	Edward M. Ferrari	Wakefield
		Virginia May	Wakefield
4	Wakefield	James E. Webb	Lynn
		Grace M. White	Wakefield
6	Wakefield	Alvin F. Crowell	Canton
		Florence C. Foley	Wakefield
11	Allston	Paul A. Russell	Wakefield
		Louise Marino	Allston
12	Wakefield	Robert M. Graves	Wakefield
		Barbara Carleton	Wakefield
12	Wakefield	Thomas G. Hurton	Wakefield
		Margaret Sullivan	Reading
13	Melrose	Sherman R. Gates	Wakefield
		Virginia S. Trask	Melrose
13	Wakefield	Lawrence M. Owen	Wakefield
		Dorice E. Crosby	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	John L. LaCarte	Lawrence
		Mildred L. Kelloway	Wakefield
21	Malden	Raymond L. Harvey	Wakefield
		Caroline M. Signorelli	Wakefield
22	Melrose	Robert Hogg	Wakefield
		Phyllis Sanford	Melrose
27	Reading	Augustus M. Haberman	Wakefield
		Marion Bacheller	Reading
27	Medford	Ralph B. Lydecker	Wakefield
		Alice Chase (Greer)	Wakefield
28	Wakefield	Hans Meyer	Wakefield
		Dorothy Theriault (Allen)	Wakefield
28	Malden	Oscar L. Naugle	Malden
		Doris L. Leone	Wakefield
Apr.			
4	Wakefield	George A. Pottle	Wakefield
		Vera Wike	Wakefield
4	Wakefield	Leslie L. Thomas	Biddeford, Me.
		Jean Fessenden	Wakefield

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
7	Wakefield	Sidney Munday	Boston
		Mabel Greenleaf (Jaques)	Wakefield
10	Malden	Alphonse F. Sullo	Wakefield
		Mary L. Ferguson	Stoneham
10	Reading	Robert B. Cheyne	Wakefield
		Shirley A. Buckler	Reading
16	Wakefield	William Swain	Wakefield
		Elizabeth Mugford	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Edgar L. Jungman	Texas
		Irene I. Dill	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Hastings M. Wellington	Malden
		Winifred V. Lee	Malden
17	Lawrence	Marcus K. Fletcher	Reading
		Jean Gould Bowser	Wakefield
17	Boston	E. Stanley Duffill	Wakefield
		Flora Tabor	Newtonville
18	Wakefield	William L. Taylor	Wakefield
		Hellen F. Muse	Wakefield
18	Reading	Edwin A. Thompson, Jr.	Melrose
		Helen L. Lombard	Wakefield
20	Saugus	Francis E. Babine	Wilmington
		Marion L. Doucette	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	Thomas J. Greene	Reading
		Grace L. Martin	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	George W. Swett	Melrose
		Charlotte Simm (Brooks)	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	George Voci	East Boston
		Margaret Pierni	Wakefield
26	Melrose	John F. O'Toole	Wakefield
		Marie A. Casey	Melrose
28	Wakefield	Lawrence Berube	Wakefield
		Ruth Spero	Wakefield
30	Wakefield	Raymond Lanzillo	Wakefield
		Mary E. Ford	Wakefield
May			
1	Wakefield	Chester W. Gooch	Brookline
		Betsy F. Nickerson	Boston
1	Wakefield	Gustave P. Magnitzky	Wakefield
		Priscilla Abbott	Wakefield
1	Wakefield	John J. Burns	Fort Devens
		Margaret G. Murphy	Wakefield
1	Wakefield	Walter Muse	Wakefield
		Marion E. Smith	Wakefield
2	Cambridge	Arthur Fotino	Wakefield
		Elizabeth G. Altemus	Cambridge

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
2	Reading	Lloyd S. Glidden, Jr.	Wakefield
		Loraine Murphy	Wakefield
2	Stoneham	Guy Gargano	Wakefield
		Mary Mustone	Stoneham
7	Wakefield	George R. Winters	Wakefield
		Patricia Day	Wakefield
8	Wakefield	Joseph J. Palmerino	Wakefield
		Angelina Migliore	Wakefield
10	Wakefield	Stephen J. Bilicki	Wakefield
		Pauline N. Litchfield (Neally)	Reading
12	Wakefield	Joseph H. F. Bissell	Melrose
		Ruth O'Connell	Wakefield
13	Wakefield	Arnold Cochran	Wakefield
		Elizabeth Griffiths	Wakefield
16	Wakefield	Henry Costello	Wakefield
		Nora Hurton	Wakefield
16	Melrose	Thomas E. Clague	Melrose Hlds.
		Margery Tyler	Wakefield
16	Wakefield	Vito S. LoFaro	Wakefield
		Gene Hionis	Boston
17	Wakefield	William Tonks	Wakefield
		Eveline L. Ryder	Wakefield
19	Manchester, N. H.	Andrew S. Peters	Illinois
		Marianne A. Ryan	Wakefield
21	Melrose	Herbert L. Greene	Bedford
		Frederico Kelloway	Wakefield
23	Wakefield	Harold D. Muse	Wakefield
		Mary A. Malonson	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	Cleetus C. Martin	Texas
		Ilene Pasno	Wakefield
28	Wakefield	Edward F. Landers	Stoneham
		Hilda D. French	Stoneham
29	Newport, Vt.	Bruce I. Morse	Wakefield
		Barbara F. Kenison	Coventry, Vt.
31	Wakefield	Daniel Concessi	Wakefield
		Lillian Benedetto	Wakefield
June			
5	Wakefield	Don L. Ward	Iowa
		Katherine M. Sullivan	Wakefield
5	Melrose	George E. Gibbs	Wakefield
		Mary A. McGilley	Melrose
6	Everett	Antonio Pizzuto	Wakefield
		Josephine M. Pasqualino	Everett
6	Wakefield	Fred E. Johnson	Wakefield
		Mary C. Dulong	Wakefield

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
6	Wakefield	Vito L. Devenere	Washington
		Marion J. Maribito	Wakefield
7	Everett	Lawrence N. Little, Jr.	Wakefield
		Natalie Staples	Reading
8	Malden	John Sugden	Wakefield
		Elizabeth N. Baker	Wakefield
13	Reading	Daniel N. Rufo	Wakefield
		Palma Rigione	Reading
17	Wakefield	John W. Simplot	Wakefield
		Nathalie F. Diamond	Wakefield
18	Reading	Albert E. Preiss	Wakefield
		Mary J. Hochberg (McGrath)	
19	Wakefield	Oakley R. Jones	Wakefield
		Mary T. McDonald	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	Philip J. Flanders	Wakefield
		Miriam S. S. Clarke	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	Peter P. Puglisi	Wakefield
		Antonetta R. Benedetto	Wakefield
20	Wakefield	Dominick J. Connaire	Wakefield
		Mary E. Hurton	Wakefield
20	Cambridge	Frank A. Alden	Wakefield
		Mary R. O'Brien	Cambridge
21	Reading	Archie J. Hayes	Wakefield
		Barbara C. White (Saxton)	Wakefield
21	Boston	Walter B. Szymanski	Wakefield
		Marion Abbruzzese	E. Boston
22	Lowell	Henry W. Crocker, Jr.	Wakefield
		Anna J. Leary	Lowell
23	Wakefield	Joseph Z. Shoop	Illinois
		Katherine Koss	Illinois
26	Wakefield	Walter R. Doucett	Wakefield
		Pauline F. Reid	Wakefield
26	Melrose	Earl T. Larrabee	Wakefield
		Eleanor M. Bleyle	Melrose
26	Lynn	Albert L. Nutile	Wakefield
		Lillian L. Anderson	Lynn
23	Wakefield	Eben Wallace	Newton
		Ruth M. Southworth (Miller)	Wakefield
27	Wakefield	John D. Maroney	Wakefield
		Ann M. Neiss	Wakefield
27	Lynn	John J. Szumski	Wakefield
		Mary A. Veinotte	Lynn
27	Worcester	Leroy B. Randall	Wakefield
		Janet E. Greenwood	Worcester
27	Reading	Joseph Laurino	Wakefield
		Antoinette Framiglio	Wakefield

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
27	Revere	Nicholas A. Luciani	Wakefield
		Mary Palmisano	Revere
28	Wakefield	Frederick Quay	Wakefield
		Muriel Vining	Wakefield
July			
3	Nashua, N. H.	Don M. Powell	Wakefield
		Agnes T. DeFlumere	Wakefield
4	Wakefield	Alfred C. Biggio	Stoneham
		Helen F. Reil	Wakefield
5	Wakefield	Arthur F. Choate	New York
		Mildred L. Hatch	Wakefield
6	Wakefield	Cacilio Custodio	Wakefield
		Anna Encarnacao	Wakefield
8	Wakefield	Vertner M. Fogg	Hudson, N. H.
		Irene C. Biggs	Nashville, Tenn.
11	Wakefield	Gilbert LaRocque	Lynn
		Filomena Colannino	Wakefield
14	Reading	John S. Jenderseck	St. Cloud, Mont.
		Catherine O'Donnell	Wakefield
14	Reading	Alfred Ghibellini	Wakefield
		Rita Riley	Reading
17	Wakefield	Elmer F. Burns	Stoneham
		Dorothy M. Riley	Wakefield
17	Stoneham	Nelson J. Bennett	Wakefield
		Frances R. Doucette	Stoneham
18	Wakefield	James Martino	Wakefield
		Agnes Gibbons	Melrose
24	Methuen	John J. Collins	Wakefield
		Elizabeth V. Danahy	Wakefield
24	Wakefield	George W. Russell	Wakefield
		Ruby E. Lovejoy	Reading
25	Woburn	Ralph T. Cerretani	Wakefield
		Bertha F. Willett	Woburn
25	Wakefield	Robert A. Barker	Wakefield
		Charlotte M. Chelman	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	Dominic D. Cardillo	Wakefield
		Marion G. Caruso	Wakefield
26	Wakefield	Howard K. Christie	Wakefield
		Barbara Woodward	Wakefield
27	Wakefield	John Ferreira	Peabody
		Rita J. Curley	Wakefield
31	Wakefield	Albert A. Smith	Wakefield
		Georgia F. Maker	Wakefield

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Aug.			
1	Wakefield	George E. Antunes, Jr.	Wakefield
		Maria Almas	France
1	Stoneham	Robert M. Geweniger	Malden
		Mary E. Mauriella	Wakefield
2	Wakefield	Loring Larson	Georgetown
		Marilyn Gascoigne	Wakefield
6	Wakefield	John Comack	Lynnfield
		Marjorie Willard	Wakefield
8	Malden	Daniel J. Bradley	Malden
		Ellen M. Peters	
8	Missouri	Leo Joseph Gaudet	Woburn
		Margaret P. Hatfield	Wakefield
9	Nashua, N. H.	James R. Fuller	Wakefield
		Evelyn H. Bucchio	Wakefield
10	Reading	Robert M. Wheeler	Wakefield
		Catherine E. Tebeau	Reading
11	Wakefield	Wayne Schuman	Melrose
		Doris Oliver	Wakefield
14	Wakefield	Zenas W. Bliss	Wakefield
		Helen O. Moses	
15	Wakefield	Phillip R. Bourne	Melrose
		Anna M. Manley	Melrose
15	Melrose	Frank F. Perham	Alabama
		Dorothy M. Turnquist	Wakefield
16	Revere	Louis Bonaiuto	Wakefield
		Mary E. Garey (Clish)	Saugus
17	Wakefield	Robert J. Brennan	Hartford, Conn.
		Irene V. Connors	Wakefield
21	Wakefield	Dannie A. Williamson	So. Carolina
		Mary A. Scurto	Stoneham
26	Wakefield	Kenneth W. Lindsay	Wakefield
		Mary E. Kimball	Wakefield
27	Stoneham	Warren W. Hawkes	Wakefield
		Marjorie R. Arnold	Stoneham
28	Wakefield	Dean Gow	Somerville
		Gladys Walsh	Wakefield
29	Revere	Louis Migliore	Wakefield
		Stella M. Olivolo	Revere
30	Wakefield	Rowland M. Whittet	Wakefield
		Marjorie A. Rasmusson	Melrose
31	Wakefield	Carl J. Ludwig	Jamaica Plain
		Dorothy E. Mew	Melrose

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Sept.			
2	Wakefield	William T. Welsh	Boston
		Mildred E. McCarthy	Wakefield
4	Wakefield	James N. Yerxa	Everett
		Phyllis G. Corbett	Wakefield
8	Wakefield	Henry J. Holden	New Mexico
		Betty H. Atwell	Wakefield
11	Wakefield	Daniel L. Reardon	Wakefield
		Frances M. I. Hill	Wakefield
11	Everett	William L. Howell	Watertown
		Florence L. Rowe	Wakefield
12	Medford	Warren Armstrong	Wakefield
		Edna M. Ryan	Medford
16	Barre, Mass.	James R. Kelley	Wakefield
		Mary G. Harty	Barre, Mass.
17	Wakefield	Frederick F. Croto, Jr.	Winchester
		Mary E. Flynn	Wakefield
18	Wakefield	Joseph DiMauro	Saugus
		Emma Giunta	Wakefield
18	Wakefield	George J. Gould	Buffalo, N. Y.
		Florence P. Blair	Wakefield
19	Woburn	James W. Demarkis	Woburn
		Leonilda Colannino	Wakefield
19	Andover	George F. Donegan	Wakefield
		Honora M. Cronin	Andover
22	Derry, N. H.	Thomas P. Delaney	Boston
		Helen G. Corcoran	Wakefield
24	Boston	Leon A. Clough	Wakefield
		Ethel G. Burnett	Wakefield
25	Malden	Donald Mann	Wakefield
		Alice M. Mowry	Malden
25	Melrose	Edwin R. Stanley	Wakefield
		Virginia G. Smith	Melrose
Oct.			
1	Lynn	Earl R. Spreadbury	Wakefield
		Beatrice E. Titcomb	Lynn
2	Wakefield	Francis D. Smith	Washington, D. C.
		Catherine E. Cotter	Wakefield
3	Everett	Matthew J. Hurton	Wakefield
		Agatha L. Hafferty	Everett
3	Brookline	Cedric H. Senter	New Mexico
		Roxanne O. Foss	Wakefield
3	Hyde Park	John J. Stankewicz	Wakefield
		Genevieve T. Sikora	Hyde Park
9	Wakefield	Clarence G. Scholtz	Andover
		Eveline L. Davis	Wakefield

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10	Winthrop	Ernest Messer	Wakefield
		Laura Scantlebury	Winthrop
12	Somerville	Chester F. Henshaw	Wakefield
		Louise V. Haggerty	Somerville
15	Concord, N. H.	Frank A. Tredinnick, Jr.	Wakefield
		Emily M. Radcliffe Otto	Concord, N. H.
16	Malden	John M. Millar	Wakefield
		M. Bernice Malone	Malden
16	Wakefield	John J. Galen	Eastport, Me.
		Virginia Parkhurst	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Paul L. Engler	Wakefield
		Mildred J. Collins	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Carl R. Cutlip	Medford
		Miriam A. Campbell	Wakefield
17	Wakefield	Victor C. Kirmes	Melrose
		Madeline J. LoFaro	Wakefield
17	Dorchester	John H. Morgan	Wakefield
		Bertha M. Grady	Bellows, Vt.
17	Winchester	Edmund D. Luciano	Wakefield
		Isabelle Mary Russo	Winchester
22	Wakefield	Albert C. Smith	Chappauqua, N. Y.
		Priscilla W. Adlard	Wakefield
24	Wakefield	Alfred Olivieri	East Boston
		Mary Petrillo	Wakefield
24	Wakefield	Jeremiah E. Creedon	Wakefield
		Maimie E. DeVeau	Wakefield
30	Wakefield	John J. Connery	Jamaica Plain
		Mary P. O'Connell	Wakefield
31	Wakefield	William J. Walsh	Wakefield
		J. Theresa Collins	Wakefield
31	Wakefield	LeRoy E. MacDonald	Tewksbury
		Ruth B. Gibson	Wakefield
Nov.			
2	Medford	Leonard R. Hampton	Somerville
		Edna D. Edgett	Wakefield
4	Medford	William S. Cacciola	Wakefield
		Josephine M. McHugh	Medford
4	Stoneham	George E. Lawson	Stoneham
		Doris Neeb	Wakefield
5	Wakefield	Hudson V. Taylor	Wisconsin
		Norma Teague	Wakefield
7	Wakefield	Winthrop M. Southworth, Jr.	Washington, D. C.
		Marion Gage White	Wakefield
9	Wakefield	Ronald Edgar DePatie	Reading
		Olive Mary Muse	Wakefield

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
11	Boston	William T. Cardell	Wakefield
		Mary Lauretta Phelan	Melrose
11	Wakefield	Daniel Flynn, Jr.	Wakefield
		Irene R. Montague	Wakefield
12	Nashua, N. H.	Lester Dana Hill	Woburn
		Ruth Louise McRae	Wakefield
13	Wakefield	Donald J. Doane, Jr.	St. Louis, Mo.
		Adele Kurowska	Wakefield
13	Medford	Albert I. Strobel	Beverly
		Mabel F. Coster (Foster)	Wakefield
14	Marblehead	Edward C. Lee	Wakefield
		Lucy Vila Nies	Swampscott
14	Wakefield	Andrew Arthur Prousalis	Woburn
		Mary Ventura	Wakefield
20	Concord, N. H.	Bernard A. Davis	Claremont, N. H.
		Mildred Philbrick Hill	Wakefield
21	Wakefield	Richard F. Walsh	Salem
		Anna W. Carroll	Wakefield
21	Boston	James J. Barrett	Wakefield
		Mary J. McRae	Roxbury
22	Arlington	Gardner Chase Reed	Wakefield
		Priscilla Louise Swett	Arlington
24	Boston	Gerald M. Kennedy	Wakefield
		Gladys E. Ellis (Fuller)	Wakefield
24	Wakefield	Wylie W. McManus	Los Angeles, Cal.
		Catherine M. Smith	Wakefield
25	Reading	A. Ernest Corindia	Wakefield
		Dorothy E. Macmann	Reading
25	Wakefield	Robert Parker	Wakefield
		Nancy Ann Perry	Wakefield
25	Wakefield	Rocco Dell'Arciprete	Malden
		T. Alice Antetomaso	Wakefield
25	Peabody	Edward David Muse, Jr.	Wakefield
		Helen Rosalie Krysko	Peabody
28	Wakefield	Paul L. Nelson	Everett
		Alice L. Lassell	Everett
28	Wakefield	George L. Hodgkins	Reading
		Hazel Alma Anderson	Wakefield
30	Melrose	Howard W. Giles	Wakefield
		Hazel M. Stewart (Crafts)	Reading
Dec.			
9	Brookline	Paul W. Golden	Wakefield
		Julia Mary Lynch	Brookline
11	Wakefield	Francis Reardon	Honolulu
		Katherine Finn	Wakefield

Date	Place of Marriage	Name	Residence
11	Wakefield	Everett W. Andrews	Wakefield
		Florence A. Grant (Wentworth)	Portland, Me.
12	Wakefield	Paul F. Salipante	Wakefield
		Mary E. Whitney	Wakefield
13	Everett	Harold S. Inman, Jr.	Wakefield
		Mildred L. McLeod	Saugus
14	Wakefield	Warren Heath George	Wakefield
		Pearl Lois Holland	Wakefield
14	Great Barrington	Raymond B. Gallugi	Wakefield
		Mary Dellea	Alford
15	Providence, R. I.	Edward V. Seero	Wakefield
		Shirley Alice Downs	Chicago, Ill.
19	Wakefield	Harold A. Butler	Wakefield
		Marion K. Achorn	Wakefield
20	Reading	James Carisella	Wakefield
		Mary Laura Corbin	Wakefield
24	Wakefield	Dominic Paul Martino	Wakefield
		Shirley M. Rutledge	Wakefield
24	Reading	Richard D. Avery	Wakefield
		Martha Thompson	Chicopee
24	Reading	Bernard A. Croce	Wakefield
		Evelyn Shaw	Reading

Record of Deaths

Any errors or omissions noted in these records should be reported to the Town Clerk at once.

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
Jan.				
6	Ella Simonds	68	6	15
8	George A. Frotten	58	3	24
9	Ellsworth Beach	77	0	0
15	James Edward Paon	58	4	17
15	Margaret J. Potter	80	4	25
16	Edith C. Tilton	78	2	9
18	Joseph Stamegna	77	0	0
21	Elwin L. Brown	41	2	7
23	Michael F. Lyons	82	11	27
23	Fred Nicol	73	0	0
23	Olive E. Porter	36	0	6
26	Edward L. Surette	0	0	23
26	Patrick L. Callaghan	49	3	3
27	Annie Burke (Keegan)	76	3	0
28	Mary Elvira Rivers (Atherton)	73	9	22
28	Magdalena Bauer	73	7	20
28	Charlton B. Mattison	78	6	16
Feb.				
4	Sarah A. Cartwright	87	8	5
4	Walter Pierce Sheldon	90	0	0
8	Louis Francis Payson	74	4	16
10	Rocco Iosua	48	6	0
11	James McFadden	83	3	3
11	Ellenora S. Sibley	98	1	11
11	Ernest M. Belmore	81	8	10
12	Emma Frances Buttrick Lamond	78	0	26
13	Carrie L. Crerie	79	11	5
19	Cora S. Wilkinson	69	1	25
16	Esther Florence Biggs	74	4	4
16	Percy R. Bridgett	54	6	8
19	John Wilkie Thomson	71	8	16
20	Sarah Lowell (Gerard)	73	5	18
22	Linda M. Block	82	3	9
23	——— Carlson		Stillborn	
25	John Thomas Grady	67	8	2

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
Mar.				
2	Eliza Ann Pearson (Kenney)	75	0	0
4	Mary E. Millerick	63	3	1
6	Lewis P. Gove	51	3	23
8	Cassie Louise Tyler	71	1	20
10	Richard T. Butler	75	4	0
11	Aaron A. Butler	75	3	0
11	Charles W. Wilson	67	6	17
12	George Chase Tupper	82	0	1
15	Permiler Mason (Wilkinson)	89	8	11
20	Margaret Newton Eckert	55	3	20
23	Corabell Wilson	68	0	20
23	Timothy Duggan	80	1	15
24	Florence Benedetto (Quinzio)	25	3	25
25	Albert W. Smith	52	1	12
25	William Hanscome Woodman	75	2	26
26	Sebastiano D'Amico	59	0	0
27	Charlotte Hanright (Ayscough)	68	0	23
28	Annie Quimby	97	0	0
30	Blanche P. Pinkham	65	6	4
31	George E. E. Nichols	71	6	14
Apr.				
2	Philip Kelloway	0	7	13
5	William J. Lee	76	6	14
5	Charles Spear Wheeler	76	11	27
7	Ellen Barron	76	6	9
17	Elizabeth Muse	76	0	0
18	Mabel J. Tyler (Langille)	81	0	0
18	Margaret Montgomery Goodale	94	8	23
20	Penelope Canfield	1	5	26
20	George Meuse	14	8	10
22	Anna G. Waters	91	4	16
22	Maria Pizzuto	65	0	0
23	Mary Skillings (Marion)	78	5	19
25	Elizabeth L. Mortimer (Leeman)	63	9	15
23	Lydia Parker Stimpson	84	3	15
25	Nellie Frances Cutter	87	7	25
25	George J. Heustis	74	0	0
26	Clara V. Copeland (Palmer)	85	7	21
26	Albert Henry French	75	0	0
27	Dianna Lafaille	0	0	2
28	Isabell A. Clothey	64	0	8
29	Charlotte O'Roarke	68	0	0

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
May				
1	Meta Catherine Hoyns Cordes	89	8	13
1	Margaret Murray	64	9	18
3	Catherine Agatha Fillis (Heffernan)	59	7	15
3	Hattie Jameson (Hodgkins)	82	11	3
4	Alma Newcomb (Combs)	69	7	10
5	Annie Laura Moxcey	77	0	10
8	Andrew Granese	55	7	10
8	Rose DiDonato (DiDonato)	83	0	0
8	Christian Hendrichsen	58	10	17
11	Ellen McCrum	88	3	23
13	Albert Henry Allen	70	0	0
14	Katherine Spero	62	0	0
14	Mary McDonnell Preston	86	0	0
15	Caroline M. Cabral	85	0	0
22	Walter W. Brown	76	4	29
23	Nicola Bernabeo	85	0	0
24	Percy Eldin Astle	59	10	18
25	——— Gray		Stillborn	
26	Frederick Theophalus Paon	62	9	1
27	Ambrose Dulong	68	10	23
30	Thomas R. Gallella	2	0	0
June				
1	Frank William Avery	46	9	18
3	Frederick Augustus Leach	81	8	14
8	——— Jaynes		20 minutes	
13	Jacob A. Mosse	54	3	4
13	Carrie Maria Murdock Rich	77	9	9
16	Warren Hodgdon Cook	46	8	19
17	Albert Woodbury Flint	74	7	7
17	Robert Bird Price	80	7	13
18	Georgia Inez Lord	85	7	16
21	Elizabeth F. Hickey	62	0	0
22	Annie Eilleen (McCormack)	73	0	11
24	Carrie Shelley	75	10	22
27	Ernest A. Coy	76	6	2
28	Giovannina Caruso	66	8	0
29	Arthur John Covell	79	6	28
July				
2	Mary J. Meloney (FitzGerald)	87	5	7
4	Mary Elizabeth Lilder (Long)	88	5	13
4	George W. Rockwood	79	1	4
5	Giulietta Nasella LaRiccia	66	4	7

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
5	Priscilla Slayton Grandfield	44	5	26
6	Josephine Murray	40	10	0
12	Henry O. Baril	27	11	17
16	John A. Orchard	45	7	26
17	Barbara Galvin	12	4	3
17	Isaac Watson Vidito	80	3	4
19	Mary A. O'Hara	70	11	23
20	Catherine Stella McGinley	77	7	10
24	Joseph J. Kittery	57	4	3
27	Wallace H. Butman	56	7	22
30	Lena Potter (James)	74	4	20
Aug.				
3	Augusta Rae	58	6	5
6	Martha Gibbons Carter	46	0	6
6	Sarah A. Dolente	55	4	22
9	Mabel Sweetser Howard (Whiting)	74	4	20
11	Annie Vaughn Harris Morrill	58	10	15
12	James Francis McFadden	48	3	8
14	Paul Morelli	0	1	1
19	Susan A. Stemegna (DeCecca)	75	5	16
21	Oscar Anderson	68	9	23
22	Margaret E. O'Connell (O'Brien)	80	4	0
23	Donald Stebbins	0	0	1
27	Olive Watson Choate	75	8	22
29	Harriette Dodge (Allen)	70	10	25
30	Lizzie J. Weston (Bernard)	73	9	12
30	HazelJ. Slamin (Brown)	47	0	0
31	Charles J. Bauer	68	1	1
Sept.				
3	Ellen Hennessey (Murray)	81	0	0
5	Isaac Frank Brandt	74	2	1
8	Antonio Radocchia	51	0	0
10	Daniel Morrill		12 hrs.	
13	Horace W. Dalrymple	25	5	11
14	Ernest M. Oliver	72	3	14
19	Peter J. North	1	10	12
21	Richard Goodwin Gibson	51	6	17
28	Clara S. Butler	74	1	28
30	Gladys Esther Parsons	41	8	1
Oct.				
2	A. Florence Goodwin	83	8	0
2	Frank J. Cronin	43	0	0
2	Jeremiah J. Loughlin	70	9	23

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
3	Josephine Odman Swanson	91	9	28
3	Jennie Austin (Carlson)	72	9	27
4	Catherine A. Crowley	78	0	0
8	Harriet Allen Hackett	62	10	10
8	Mary Hawkes	58	11	15
9	Bernard William Frost	43	7	6
9	Marcia Loraine Farwell	0	1	8
10	Lauren Leslie McMaster	62	3	6
11	Arthur Edwin Dixon Watson	73	9	10
12	Anna Peel Mansfield	88	3	9
13	Caroline L. Hutcheson		About 77	
13	Lewis Duncan Lindquist	56	10	4
13	Edward H. Sheldon	76	2	25
14	Mary McCarthy	80	0	0
16	Mary C. McAuliffe	72	4	7
18	——— Johnson		Stillborn	
19	Eunice M. Finger	48	2	8
21	Jane Surrette	66	2	13
24	Luthera Eliza Silbey (Smead)	75	8	4
28	Rose A. Cayer (Yelle)	57	0	0
28	Jennie Blythe Stoddard	64	0	5
31	Hannah M. Barrett	84	0	0
Nov.				
3	Eunice Emma Young	48	8	24
4	Bridget Agnes Kelleher (Murnane)	59	0	0
4	Charlotte E. Harper	62	10	21
5	Maude Gubtal Chellis	71	0	10
8	Orestus Parsons	79	4	24
8	Alfred Sava	52	11	27
12	Lewis Edward Carter	74	5	23
18	——— Curley		1 hour	
19	Catherine Ellen Stamegna (Hoban)	51	7	18
20	Emma Grover (Hines)	85	6	unknown
20	Martha E. Doremus	82	5	27
22	Harry Baum	65	1	15
23	Charles Albert Pearson	71	11	25
24	Margaret Maclaren MacIntosh	72	2	12
24	Margaret J. Brophy (McGee)	57	10	22
25	Minnie Russell Sopher	79	1	12
27	Arletta May Cooper Draper	79	4	24
28	Hannah Wildman (Englund)	63	6	13
Dec.				
3	Leslie Eugene Day	65	0	0
4	Corradina Sava (Nicastro)	72	0	0

Date of Death	Name	Years	Months	Days
3	Frederick William Young	82	3	5
4	Grace Eleanor Flint (Eaton)	73	11	25
5	John Rich	0	6	6
6	Arthur J. Quinn, Sr.	78	0	0
9	Annie Cotton, (Conway)	66	0	15
9	Ida Emma Kimball	83	5	16
11	Addie P. Morse (Pratt)	79	2	3
13	John Bedford Delaney	72	6	18
19	Folomena Evangelista (Spina)	85	0	0
19	Harry Cutler Coflan	63	5	25
24	——— Stewart	About 15 min.		
25	Patrick Walsh	60	9	2
28	Arthur Chester Brandt	63	8	17
29	Helen McIntosh (Carr)	89	9	2
30	Warren D. Goodwin	23	1	6
30	Mary C. Collins	87	3	11
30	Arabel L. Burchstead (Dudley)	78	3	27

Dog Licenses

Total Number of Licenses issued		1,084
Tax on 681 Male Licenses @ $2.00	$1,362.00	
Tax on 324 Spayed Female Licenses @ $2.00	648.00	
Tax on 76 Female Licenses @ $5.00	380.00	
Tax on 1 Kennel License @ $25.00	25.00	
Tax on 2 Kennel Licenses @ $50.00	100.00	
5 Transfers @ 25c	1.25	
34 Tags @ 10c	3.40	
Total to Town Treasurer	$2,519.65	
Town's Fee		$221.45

Hunting and Fishing Licenses

Number of Licenses issued		473
Resident Citizen Fishing — 142 @ $2.00	$ 284.00	
Resident Citizen Hunting — 181 @ $2.00	362.00	
Resident Citizen Sporting — 66 @ $3.25	214.50	
Resident Citizen Minor and Female Fishing — 40 @ $1.25	50.00	
Resident Citizen Trapping — 2 @ $5.25	10.50	
Resident Citizen Minor Trapping — 5 @ $2.25	11.25	
Duplicate Licenses — 4 @ 50c	2.00	
Resident Citizen Sporting — 30 — Free		
Resident Military and Naval — 3 — Free		
Total	$ 934.25	
Paid to Department of Fisheries and Game		$825.25
To Town Treasurer (Town's Fee)		$109.00

CHARLES F. YOUNG,
Town Clerk.

Report of Selectmen

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

We herewith respectfully submit the annual report of the Board of Selectmen for the year ending December 31, 1943, together with the reports of the several departments under our control or supervision.

The Board consisting of Orrin J. Hale, William R. Lindsay, William G. Dill, Ernest L. Brown and L. Wallace Sweetser organized March 2, 1943 by electing Orrin J. Hale, Chairman and Ernest L. Brown, Secretary. Charles C. Cox was appointed Clerk.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Fire Department—Orrin J. Hale
Police Department—L. Wallace Sweetser
Moth Department—William G. Dill
Highway Department—Ernest L. Brown
Traffic—L. Wallace Sweetser
Town Hall—William R. Lindsay
Lafayette Building—William G. Dill

APPOINTMENTS

Town Counsel—John I. Preston
Fire Inspector—Fred D. Graham
Wire Inspector—Fred D. Graham
Dog Officer—George A. Bennett
Lock-Up Keeper—John G. Gates
Board of Appeals, 3 years—Willard P. Lombard
Soldiers' Relief Agent—John Findlay Jr.
Burial Agent and Agent Care Soldiers' Graves—John Findlay Jr.
Fence Viewers—Frank D. MacKay, Dennis F. Regan, Albert W. Flint
Janitor Town Hall—James J. Logan
Night Janitor Town Hall—Thomas E. Giles
Janitor Lafayette Building (Temporary Appointment)—Loren J. Farrar
Custodian Town Farm Buildings (Temporary Appointment)—James F. McKeon
Constable—Harold R. Anderson
Building Inspector—Joseph W. MacInnis
Compensation Agent—Joseph W. MacInnis
Superintendent of Streets (Acting)—Robert B. MacKenna
Registrar of Voters, 3 years—Fred E. Bunker
Sweetser Lecture Committee—Harry I. Reed, Eb V. Yeuell, Charles J. Peterson, Thomas F. Kenney, Charlotte R. Fitz, Edward A. Rich and George E. Potter

For Inspector of Animals—George A. Bennett was nominated subject to approval of State Division of Livestock Disease Control

Licenses granted by the Selectmen for the sale of alcoholic beverages for the year 1943 were granted to the following subject to the approval of the State Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission:

City Hall Liquor Store (Israel Blank) 6 Water Street.

Jeffrey's Package Store Inc., (John Jeffrey, President) 354 Main Street.

Palumbo's Annex, (Ignazio Palumbo Jr.) 37 Albion Street.

Tine's Grocery and Liquor Store, (Salvatore Tine) 38A Water Street.

Receipts from these and other licenses granted during the year 1943 are shown in the Town Accountant's report.

Reports of the various departments under the supervision of the Board of Selectmen contain complete information.

Joseph L. Preston, long a member of the Police Department, and having attained age of retirement, was retired on pension on April 18th, 1943. Under a special act covering the War Emergency, Officer Preston was continued in the Police Department temporarily, and on November 1, 1943 tendered his resignation and retired from the department permanently.

Frederick C. Hupprich was appointed a permanent patrolman in the Police Department replacing Officer Preston.

Effective May 14, 1943, due to disability, Henry L. Parker was retired as a regular fireman under the Veterans' Act, Chapter 32, Section 57, General Laws, and on August 3rd, Thomas W. Sullivan a Highway Department employee and Call Fireman was retired because of disability under the same act.

The Board, together with the Reading Board of Selectmen perambulated the Reading-Wakefield town lines on October 2, 1943.

The Board wishes to express its thanks and appreciation to the heads and members of all departments under its jurisdiction for their accomplishments during the year.

To the citizens of Wakefield, the Board expresses its appreciation of the courtesy and consideration shown by them in all dealings regarding problems arising during the year.

ORRIN J. HALE
ERNEST L. BROWN
L. WALLACE SWEETSER
WILLIAM G. DILL
WILLIAM R. LINDSAY
Selectmen

Report of Chief of Police

January 1, 1944.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board, the report of the doings of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Number of arrests	324
Number of arrests on warrants	29
Number of arrests without warrants	205
Number of arrests on default warrants	1
Number of arrests on capias	7
Number of summons served	82
Male	296
Female	28
Residents	186
Non-Residents	138

FOR THE FOLLOWING CRIMES, VIZ:—

Arrested for other officers	22
Assault and battery	5
Assault with a dangerous weapon	2
Automobile Laws, Violations of:	
Causing property damage	1
Failing to stop on signal of police officer	1
Improper lights	1
Improper plates	4
Mechanical signal, not stopping	2
Operating after suspension of license	3
Operating—Failing to slow down at intersection	3
Operating so as to endanger	1
Operating—Speeding	3
Operating under the influence	8
Operating without a license	13
Operating without official inspection	57
Parking overtime	4
Thumbing a ride	1
Uninsured car	3
Unregistered car	4
Using without authority	2
Children	
Neglected	8
Parents contributing to delinquency of children	2
Disturbing the peace	1
Drunkenness	109

Exposing person	3
Fornication	1
Insane	15
Larceny	13
Lewdness	5
Lottery tickets in possession	1
Malicious mischief	3
Non-Support	7
Rape	1
Safe Keeping	3
Truancy	4
Unnatural act	1
Violation of probation	7

HOW DISPOSED OF

Appealed	1
Continued	9
Chelmsford School	1
Defaulted	2
Delivered to other officers	22
Discharged	4
Dismissed	4
Fines imposed	130
Grand Jury	3
House of Correction	8
Insane Hospital	14
Middlesex Training School	2
Placed on file	25
Probation	27
Released	21
Sherborn Reformatory for women	2
State Department of Public Welfare	8
State Farm	18
Suspended Sentence to House of Correction	18
Suspended Sentence to State Farm	4
Suspended Sentence Industrial School for Boys	1

AMOUNT OF FINES IMPOSED BY THE COURT

52 at	$ 5.00	260.00
40 at	10.00	400.00
16 at	15.00	240.00
7 at	25.00	175.00
1 at	75.00	75.00
12 at	50.00	600.00
2 at	100.00	200.00
	Total	$ 1,950.00

MISCELLANEOUS REPORT

Accidents reported	279
Amount of lost property recovered	$ 1,233.31
Amount of property left outside of stores and cared for	$ 38.00
Amount of stolen property recovered	$ 24,319.95
Broken wires reported	1
Buildings found open and secured	317
Burglary (false alarm)	6
Complaints and cases investigated	1,586
Dead and stray cats reported	52
Dead bodies cared for	5
Defects in gas pipes reported	1
Defects in hydrants reported	1
Defects in streets and sidewalks reported	95
Defects in water pipes reported	10
Detail for private assemblages	65
Detail for public assemblages	168
Dog bites reported	40
Dogs killed	7
Electric light poles blown down	1
Fires discovered and alarm given	26
Fires discovered and extinguished without alarm	7
House lights reported out	35
Lanterns put in dangerous places	7
Lights found burning in buildings	108
Lost children cared for	45
Lost dogs found and returned to owners	79
Medical Examiner cases	6
Officers at fires	204
Persons missing	44
Posting notices	60
Runaway boys cared for	19
Serious sickness signs put out	2
Sick and disabled persons assisted	62
Street lights not burning	109
Water running to waste	4
Wires burning trees	3
Number of duty calls	48,737
Number of Light Department calls	2,035
Number of Report Center calls	1,363
Number of ambulance cases	342
Miles covered by ambulance	4,233
Miles covered by Oldsmobile—Car No. 1	36,467
Miles covered by Oldsmobile—Car No. 2	10,123
Miles covered by motorcycle	2,157
Legal papers served for out of town police departments during the year	142
Legal papers served in town during the year	121

Number of cases investigated for the Department of Justice		163
Money collected for fines imposed by the court	$	590.00
Money collected on non-support cases	$	1,485.00
Money collected for restitution	$	284.34
Money collected for revolver permits issued	$	38.00
Money collected on ambulance cases	$	348.71
Money collected for bicycle registration plates	$	66.80

RECOMMENDATIONS

Owing to new residential developments which have increased the population of the town, and increased industry, which has added hundreds to payrolls, I am recommending the addition of two more patrolmen to the department.

I recommend a day off in six for police officers. This is provided for in the statutes, but must be voted on by the citizens of the town.

CONCLUSION

On April 18, 1943 Patrolman Joseph L. Preston retired on pension after having been a member of the department since April 12, 1906, during which time he always gave faithful and efficient service to the town. Owing to Patrolman Eugene F. Hathaway's being on leave of absence, Patrolman Preston was then appointed a military substitute patrolman and continued to serve as a member of the department to November 1, when he resigned.

On April 13, 1943, Reserve Officer Charles F. Hupprich, Jr. was appointed a regular patrolman to take effect April 18. This appointment was to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Patrolman Joseph L. Preston.

F. M. Link frequency modulated two-way police radio is now being installed for the department. This consists of a 25-watt main station, located in the Police Station and two-way radio equipment in the department's three cars. This new equipment will enable the officer on desk duty and officers in the cars to talk back and forth with each other, and will increase the efficiency of the department over the old arrangement, whereby all messages from the office to the cars had to be sent to the Arlington Police Department and then rebroadcast to the cars.

During the year the Wakefield Rotary Club donated an up-to-date oxygen mask to the department for use in emergency cases of sickness, and later the Wakefield Lodge of Elks donated three large tanks of oxygen to be kept at the Police Station for emergency use. I know that the citizens of the town will be and are grateful to both these organizations for their thoughtfulness in providing both these donations.

Again this year the Auxiliary Police Organization, which was formed early in 1942 as a part of our Civilian Defense Organization, is still functioning. When called upon for duty they serve at no expense to the town and deserve the thanks of all citizens.

I desire to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the Honorable Board of Selectmen for their full and complete co-operation at all times on matters pertaining to the department during the past year.

To Mr. L. Wallace Sweetser, Committee on Police, for his individual support and co-operation at all times during the year, my sincere thanks.

To all the various town departments who have assisted and co-operated with the Police Department during the past year, and to Dr. Curtis L. Sopher, for the many things that he has done for the department during the past year, I extend my thanks, to all other citizens and the local press, who have assisted and supported the department, my sincere thanks.

I wish also to extend my sincere thanks to the Lieutenant, Sergeants, all members of the department and to the clerk, Miss Dorothy McGrail, for the faithful discharge of their duties at all times during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN G. GATES,
Chief of Police

Report of Chief of Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my Annual Report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1943, with the total number of alarms, and the losses on same as near as is possible to obtain.

APPARATUS

There are at present 8 pieces of apparatus in this department, and are as follows:

One Triple Combination purchased from the Seagrave Corporation and put in service October 27, 1938. This piece of apparatus designated as Engine 3 is of the covered type and represents the latest type of pumping engine. It is equipped with a 750-gallon centrifugal type pump, 100 gallon booster tank, 250 feet of ¾ inch hose, 1,250 feet of 2½ inch hose, ladders, smoke masks, 2 fog nozzles for combatting gasoline and oil fires, 3 shut-off type nozzles, 4 types of extinguishers, salvage covers, first aid kit, plus much other equipment necessary to bring this unit up to an efficient piece of apparatus.

One Triple Combination purchased from the Seagrave Corporation and put in service July, 1924. This piece of apparatus is equipped with a 750-gallon centrifugal type pump, 1,250 feet of 2½ inch hose, 200 feet of ¾ inch hose, 80 gallon booster tank, 2 types of cellar pipes, salvage covers, stretcher, smoke masks, 3 types of extinguishers, 2 fog nozzles for oil and gasoline fires, shut-off type nozzles, ladders and much other equipment.

One Double-bank type 75 foot aerial ladder truck purchased from the Seagrave Corporation and put in service December 1928. This piece of apparatus carries 379 feet of ladders, 80 gallon booster tank, 300 feet of ¾ inch hose, for booster line, booster pump, life net, salvage covers, stretcher, 2 oxygen type masks for heavy concentrations of smoke and gases, 3 cannister type masks, 1 portable Baker water gun, several types of cellar pipes, water gun mounted on aerial ladder with 3 inch hose attached, oxygen tank for resuscitation work, and other necessary equipment.

One Triple Combination of the enclosed body type put in service in December 1941, replacing the old Pierce-Arrow Squad car which had reached an unreliable state. This piece of apparatus is equipped with a booster pump, 250 feet of ¾ inch hose for booster line, 145 gallon water tank, 1500 feet of 1½ inch hose, 2 types of nozzles, pump tanks for grass and brush fire use, shovels, brooms, first aid kit and other necessary equipment.

One Pierce-Arrow Combination put in service in 1927. Equipment consists of 1,000 feet of 2½ inch hose, 200 feet ¾ inch hose for booster

line, booster tank, booster pump, ladders, axes, extinguishers, pump tanks, deluge set, 1100-gallon water gun, first aid kit, shovels, bars, and other equipment. This machine is used mainly to replace such other pieces of hose carrying equipment as may be out of commission for repairs.

One Dodge Chief's car purchased in 1939, replacing a 1929 Buick which had outlived its usefulness. This car carries extra oxygen bottles for resuscitation work, first aid supplies, P & Q door opener and other equipment and has proved to be a valuable asset to the department's equipment.

One Triple Combination stationed at the Engine 2 station in Greenwood and purchased from the Seagrave Corporation in 1929. This piece of apparatus is equipped with a 600-gallon centrifugal type pump, 80 gallon booster tank, 200 feet of ¾ inch hose for booster line, 1,350 feet of 2½ inch hose, ladders, axes, nozzles, smoke masks, cellar pipe, salvage covers and other equipment.

One Pierce-Arrow sedan type hose-carrying piece of equipment designated as Auxiliary 1 and which was put into service in 1942 to serve as an auixiliary piece for Defense purposes. This piece of equipment is carrying 1,000 feet of 1½ inch hose, pump tanks, axes, nozzles and other smaller equipment.

During the year this department has responded to 598 alarms divided as follows: 148 Box Alarms and 450 Still Alarms.

Estimate of property endangered	$460,095.00
Loss on same	32,566.93
Insurance on same	386,475.00
Insurance paid on same	31,595.43
Transit value	14,100.00
Transit loss	955.00

CONCLUSION

In closing this report I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the Honorable Board of Selectmen for the interest and co-operation manifested by them in all matters pertaining to this department.

To Orrin J. Hale for his hearty co-operation and interest during the past year on matters pertaining to this department as Committee on Fire Department.

To all other Town Departments who have rendered valuable assistance during the past year, you have my sincere thanks.

To the officers and members of the Fire Department, and to the members of the Auxiliary Fire Force for the prompt and faithful discharge of their duties during the past year, I extend my sincere thanks.

During the year the retirement of Henry L. Parker, under the Veterans' Act, was approved by the Board of Selectmen. Mr. Parker had been a member of the Fire Department since 1921 and of the Permanent Force since 1925. My thanks is extended to him for his long and faithful service.

After many years of faithful service as members of the Call Force the following were retired on pension: Lieutenant James Logan who had

attained the compulsory retirement age and Thomas Sullivan on account of disability under the Veterans' Act. To these men my sincere appreciation is given.

There are four members of the Fire Department who have been granted leaves of absence and are in the armed forces of the United States. They are as follows: Fred D. Graham Jr., Clarence E. Robinson, Arthur F. Hupprich and Stanley J. Robbins.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED D. GRAHAM,
Chief of Fire Department

Report of Inspector of Wires

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Inspector of Wires in compliance with the vote of the Town, 1922.

There was a total of 257 inspections made. All defects found were corrected, using the National Code as a guide.

Respectfully submitted,

CHIEF FRED D. GRAHAM,
Inspector of Wires

Report of the Forest Warden

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Gentlemen:

During the year there was a total of 322 woods and grass fires.

Respectfully submitted,

CHIEF FRED D. GRAHAM,
Forest Warden

Report of Superintendent of Streets

January 3, 1944

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Wakefield, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the annual report of the work done and the expenses incurred in the Highway Department for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Appropriation—March	$ 44,434.58
Appropriation—December	1,450.00
Total Appropriation	$ 45,884.58
Gasoline Tax Refund	233.49
Unclaimed Payroll Checks	21.48
	$ 46,139.55
Expenditures	46,139.54
Balance	$ 0.01

Receipts: Funds turned in to the Town Treasurer

Lumbermen's Casualty Company—Damage Claim	$ 20.00
Employer's Liability Assurance Corp. Ltd.—Damage Claim	8.50
Traveller's Insurance Company—Damage Claim	7.50
Alden Speare's Sons Company—Oil Drum Credit	4.00
John H. Nicholson—Junk Motor	2.00
	$ 42.00

EXPENDITURES

Overhead		
Superintendent	$ 3,000.00	
Clerk	1,434.58	
Office	112.87	
Pension	308.76	
		$ 4,856.21
General Maintenance		
Patrol	$ 935.08	
Patching	2,290.67	
Tar and Sand	6,708.55	
Cleaning Catchbasins	882.92	
Street Cleaning	4,294.44	
Repairs to Equipment	3,451.35	
Supplies	1,216.89	

Street Signs	869.87	
Traffic Lines	323.01	
New Tools	91.44	
Repairs to Guardrail	94.67	
Repairs to Sidewalks	565.46	
Resurfacing and Repairs	446.87	
Buildings	1,259.03	
Miscellaneous	278.95	
Miscellaneous: Defense	773.58	
		$ 24,482.78
Drainage: New and Maintenance		2,218.74
Saturday Afternoons		2,407.31
Vacations		1,021.35
Holidays		873.50
Snow and Ice		7,640.35
Sidewalks		
Removal of Ashes	$ 496.77	
Lawns	543.08	
Stone Bounds	165.22	
Cement	1,333.76	
Curb	100.47	
		2,639.30
		$ 46,139.54

GENERAL MAINTENANCE

Patrol—The cleaning of the gutters in the business section daily, with a truck and two men once a week cleaning the business section in Greenwood.

Tar and Sand—The following streets received surface treatment during the past year:

Auburn Street	Laurel Street
Bryant Street	Madison Avenue
Cedar Street	Melvin Street
Church Street	Meriam Street
Clarina Street	Morrison Avenue
Converse Street	Morrison Road
Cooper Street	Nahant Street
Crystal Street	North Avenue
Elm Street	Orchard Avenue
Elm Square	Overlook Road
Emerald Street	Parker Road
Emerson Street	Park Street
Everett Avenue	Pearl Street
Evergreen Street	Pineridge Road
Forest Street	Pine Street

Gould Street	Pitman Avenue
Green Street	Renwick Road
Greenwood Street	Sherman Road
Grove Street	Spring Street
Hawthorne Street	Walnut Street

Yale Avenue

The cost:	Labor	$ 1,680.50
	Material	4,920.05
	Equipment	108.00
		$ 6,708.55

Street Cleaning—This item includes the cleaning of the streets and gutters of the town in the spring and fall of the year.

The cost:	Labor	$ 4,057.69
	Material	50.00
	Equipment	186.75
		$ 4,294.44

Repairs to Equipment—The following is a list of equipment, showing the model, year, and the money spent to keep same in repair:

	Labor	Material	Total
Oldsmobile Coupe 1940	$ 32.13	$ 36.91	$ 69.04
Dodge Pick-up 1937	23.42	117.14	140.56
Mack Truck 1938	60.68	20.08	80.76
Dodge Truck 1941	114.20	23.51	137.71
Dodge Truck 1935	61.00	158.59	219.59
Dodge Canopy Truck 1938	31.48	100.46	131.94
Ford Coupe 1934		2.00	2.00
Plymouth Coupe 1937		2.00	2.00
Dodge Truck 1936	67.58	115.42	183.00
6 Ton Gas Roller 1929	28.30	4.78	33.08
14 Ton Gas Roller 1931	12.99		12.99
Best Tractor 1927	42.56	2.00	44.56
Cletrac 1935	6.42	2.00	8.42
Cletrac 1936	22.25	4.32	26.57
Cletrac 1937	1.47	2.00	3.47
Cletrac 1941	5.60	2.00	7.60
Sand Spreaders 1939 and 1940	40.69	47.54	88.23
Cold Patch Mixer 1928	4.95	42.95	47.90
Shop	32.47	26.04	58.51
Graders 1921 and 1928	20.35	1.85	22.20
Cement Mixer	100.45	.20	100.65
Patrol Wagon	17.62	1.75	19.37
Shovel ½ Yd Marion 1932	205.38	691.10	896.48
Loader 1929	271.66	222.68	494.34

Crusher 1928 (Motor, Plant)	298.90	14.99	313.89
Repairs to Tools	101.63	64.98	166.61
Air Compressor	33.51		33.51
Water Pump	.82	7.06	7.88
Grease Gun	.83	.60	1.43
Air Pump	5.08		5.08
Tar Wagon	10.18		10.18
Hone	41.79		41.79
Torch	5.91	8.36	14.27
Hydraulic Jack	4.61		4.61
Grindstone	.82		.82
Miscellaneous	17.75	2.56	20.31
	$ 1,725.48	$ 1,725.87	$ 3,451.35

Supplies—

Gasoline	$ 1,153.08
Kerosene	25.31
Grease	38.50
	$ 1,216.89

Street Signs—This item includes the erection of new signs for street direction and traffic control, and the repair and painting of signs. The erection of metal signs has been discontinued for the duration, wooden signs being constructed and painted by the department.

The Cost: Labor	$ 596.81
Material	273.06
	$ 869.87

Traffic Lines—All traffic lines are painted twice a year, and the markings are made to conform with State Highway Specifications.

The cost: Labor	$ 209.21
Material	113.80
	$ 323.01

Buildings—

Light	$ 27.77
Water	50.00
Fuel for heating	257.72
Repairs and upkeep	923.54
	$ 1,259.03

DRAINAGE

This item includes the laying of new drainage and the repairs to old drainage, and cleaning of brooks, culverts, and basin tops.

The cost: Labor	$ 2,047.20
Material	171.54
	$ 2,218.74

SNOW AND ICE

The following are the expenditures for this work:

Snow Removal and Hauling—		
Labor	$ 1,980.94	
Rental	673.25	
		$ 2,654.19
Street Plowing—		
Labor	$ 477.58	
Rental	1,594.21	
		2,071.79
Sidewalk Plowing—		
Labor		24.75
Sanding—		
Labor	$ 1,640.93	
Material	74.17	
		1,715.10
Repairs to Snow Plows—		
Labor	$ 254.01	
Material	186.71	
		440.72
Snow Fence		
Labor		308.88
Coasting Signs—		
Labor		16.40
Drainage—		
Labor		395.25
Miscellaneous—		
Labor	$ 1.65	
Material	11.62	
		13.27
		$ 7,640.35

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Appropriation by Town		$ 1,000.00
Allotment from State		1,000.00
Allotment from County		1,000.00
Total		$ 3,000.00
Expended: Labor	$ 1,045.16	
Rental	168.00	
Material	1,786.84	
Balance		$ 0.00

This work is laid out and supervised by engineers from the State Department of Public Works. It includes cutting brush, drainage repairs, resurfacing and road repairs, and maintenance and painting of guardrail.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

SIDEWALK AND CURB: Construction of cement sidewalk and curb on a portion of the westerly side of Main Street, Lakeside, a continuation of work done last year.

The cost: Labor	$ 1,235.26
Material	300.92
	$ 1,536.18

SIDEWALK: Construction of cement sidewalk on Albion Street on the northerly side from a point opposite Foster Street to North Avenue.

The cost: Labor	$ 1,506.55
Material	743.45
	$ 2,250.00

PARKING AREA (B & M): Transfer made from Main Street Resurfacing account. This area was excavated, gravelled, with tar surface application. Trees and brush removed, and area enclosed with new fence.

The cost: Labor	$ 517.75
Rental	327.00
Material	78.07
	$ 922.82

ATWOOD STREET, ROBERT STREET, and WEBSTER STREET: Accepted by Town at Special Town Meeting, on November 1, 1943, with money transferred for the construction of these streets. Two applica-

tions of tarred surface were given the above streets, and drainage and sidewalks on said streets were reconditioned.

The cost:	Labor	$ 748.39
	Material	391.61
		$ 1,140.00

At this time I wish to express my appreciation for the support given me by the Board of Selectmen, and the heads of the several Town departments.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT B. MacKENNA,
Superintendent of Streets

Report of Supt. of Moth Department and Tree Department

January 24, 1944.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Superintendent of the Moth and Tree Department for the year ending December 31, 1943.

We have found that the Tent Caterpillars are about the same as last year but the Satin Moths and Gypsy Moths and Elm Leaf Beetles have decreased about 20%. We have found no Brown Tail Moths at all. We still have the Gypsy Moths in patches throughout different sections of the town.

We removed about 25 shade trees which had died from various causes. We planted 125 trees around the town. We purchased 23, while the rest were grown at our Town Nursery at Broadway.

I wish to thank publicly the Garden Club for the Dupont weed-killer which they provided us with. It did very satisfactory work.

We spent $1757.84 for moth work; for tree work, $2353.40; for spraying, $1291.11; for cutting brush, $1583.70. The income for the year beginning April 1, 1942 and ending March 31, 1943 was $1454.97.

For other expenditures and appropriations of this Department see the Town Accountant's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. LANDRY,
Superintendent Moth and Tree Dept.

Report of Inspector of Buildings

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Wakefield, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit the following report of my activities for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Permits issued	203
Inspections made	852
Chimneys condemned	6
Permits refused	37
Buildings razed	5
Sidewalk permits	20
Sign permits	9
Factories inspected	22
Rooming House inspections	12
Awning permits	7
Building without permits	11
Buildings condemned	2
Sign inspections	32
Convalescent Homes inspected	5
Shingle permits	53
Elevators inspected	24
Fire escapes inspected	11
Awning inspections	21
Fire inspections	37
Permits to raze	5
Public buildings, inspections	24
Complaints investigated	32
Buildings posted	4
Cases to Appeal Board	1
Installing signs without permit	4
Schools inspected	10
Violation of Building Laws	9
Vacant housese inspected	8
Store inspections	23
Approximate valuation of permits	$89,573.00
Permit fees received	245.90

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH W. MacINNIS,
Building Inspector

Report of Compensation Agent

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Wakefield, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

There were twenty-three (23) compensation cases during the year 1943. Total amount spent for compensation was $1,462.01.

Of the total of $1,462.01 spent during the year 1943, $826.49 was spent on one case.

The Industrial Accident Board approved the agreement to redeem liability by the payment of a lump sum in the above given amount, Town of Wakefield saves a minimum of $2,200.

Four hearings during the year 1943 at the Indusial Accident Board.

COMPENSATION ACCOUNT

Appropriation for 1943	$1,500.00
Expenditures	1,462.01
Balance	$37.99

Expenditures by Departments		Expenditures for	
Welfare	$ 826.49	Compensation	$1,070.88
Highway	466.47	Medical	391.13
Water & Sewer	70.00		
School	10.00		
Board of Health	48.00		
Compensation	10.05		
Town Hall	31.00		
Total	$1,462.01	Total	$1,462.01

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH W. MacINNIS,
Compensation Agent

Report of Town Counsel

January 1, 1944

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

My report from January 1, 1943 to December 31, 1943 is as follows:

The following cases and claims were disposed of during the year:

Confalone vs Town of Wakefield	$50.00
White vs Town of Wakefield	50.00
City of Lynn vs Town of Wakefield—Town of Lynnfield vs Town of Wakefield, both known as the Stanley Case	75.00

Case involving piggery off Perham Street was tried and temporary injunction obtained.

Case of the City of Lynn vs the Town of Wakefield was settled and we also disposed of four cases against the Town by the City of Lynn on Welfare matters without cost to the Town.

Action has been commenced against the City of Revere on one health case and there is pending one case against the Town by the City of Boston on a welfare matter.

Several small cases for defective highways are now pending and notices on several others have been received.

During the year certain property was purchased and title transferred to the Town. This land lies along the Lynnfield-Wakefield line. A small parcel of land was transferred to Mr. Edmands on the same transaction.

One matter involving the town's rights as affected by the late statute on Metropolitan Water Supply was attended to before the Metropolitan Committee in the State House.

Several Tax Appeal cases have been tried and disposed of, with many written and oral opinions rendered to many boards.

I desire to thank all the Town Departments for the co-operation they have shown in various matters which have come before them and where my services were requested.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN I. PRESTON,
Town Counsel

Report of Animal Inspector

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

At this time I submit my report as Animal Inspector for year ending December 31, 1943.

Eighty-five dogs have been placed in quarantine. None were rabid.

A record was taken of all cattle in the town.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. BENNETT,
Animal Inspector

Report of Dog Officer

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen:

At this time I submit my report as Dog Officer, for year ending December 31, 1943.

Have canvassed town twice for unlicensed dogs.

Have answered 284 calls.

There have been 19 dogs returned to rightful owners.

There have been 49 dogs sent to the Animal Rescue League.

Seventy-eight dogs have been disposed of.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. BENNETT,
Dog Officer

Report of Contributory Retirement Board

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:
Wakefield, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Contributory Retirement Board submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1943:

The total membership for the year ending December 31, 1942, including pensioners was 212. During the year 1943, 14 new members were admitted to the system; 9 withdrew, and 3 were retired; 2 in the Light Department, and 1 in the Police Department. The total membership including pensioners, as of December 31, 1943 is 217.

During the year there has been paid out in pensions and annuities the sum of $26,401.95. As of December 31, 1943 there are 36 pensioners with a total amount of monthly payments of $2,236.70.

Presented below is a statement for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Balance January 1, 1943		$ 89,433.86
Receipts		
Contributions of members	$ 12,639.35	
Investment Income	2,437.81	
Town Appropriation		
Pension Accumulation Fund	21,684.00	
Expense Fund	774.00	
Interest Deficiency	556.75	
		38,091.91
		$127,525.77
Expenditures		
Pensions and Annuities Paid	$ 26,401.95	
Refunds to members	2,350.65	
Administrative Expense	868.85	
		29,621.45
		$ 97,904.32

Assets

United States War Bonds, Series G	$25,000.00
First National Bank Stock	3,900.00
National Shawmut Bank Stock	2,287.50
Wakefield Trust Company, Checking Account	7,740.75
Wakefield Savings Bank, on deposit	9,868.71

Melrose Savings Bank, on deposit	12,918.41
Wakefield Co-operative Bank, Paid Up Shares	2,000.00
Merrimack Co-operative Bank, Paid Up Shares	2,000.00
Brighton Co-operative Bank, Paid Up Shares	2,000.00
Congress Co-operative Bank, Paid Up Shares	2,000.00
Merrimack Co-operative Bank, Matured Shares	2,000.00
Brighton Co-operative Bank, Matured Shares	2,000.00
Congress Co-operative Bank, Matured Shares	2,000.00
Salem Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,120.80
Canton Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,206.40
Winthrop Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,035.60
Ipswich Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,122.40
Danvers Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,200.80
Peabody Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,040.80
Merrimack Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,078.40
Beverly Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,160.80
Methuen Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,126.40
Gloucester Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,120.80
Lexington Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,121.20
Citizen's Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,144.80
Norwood Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,122.80
Roger Conant Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,086.40
Reading Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,082.80
Malden Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,080.80
Stoneham Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,080.80
Wakefield Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,080.80
Medford Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,080.80
Concord Co-operative Bank, Serial Shares	1,080.80
Accrued Interest	13.75
	$97,904.32

Liabilities

Pension Accumulation Fund	$21,794.43
Annuity Savings Fund	69,352.85
Annuity Reserve Fund	4,797.51
Expense Fund	113.85
Investment Income	1,845.68
	$97,904.32

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM P. HURTON, Chairman
CHARLES C. COX, Secretary
JAMES M. HENDERSON

Report of Sweetser Lecture Committee

SEASON OF 1943

RECEIPTS

Income from invested funds		$213.64
Received from sale of tickets		
Sales at door	408 at 35c	142.80
Over on making change		.05
Sales by Stores		
Smith's Drug Store	178	
Nagle's Drug Store	90	
Himmel's Drug Store	24	
Cataldo's Pharmacy	26	
Eaton's Pharmacy	36	
Greenwood Pharmacy	29	
Crystal Pharmacy	4	
Marion Costello (Harvard Knitting Mills)	51	
Item Office	9	
	447 at 35c	156.45
Tax collected on free tickets	36 at 4c	1.44
Total		$514.38

EXPENSES

Nov. 28, 1943—Henry Gerald	$ 75.00	
Dec. 8, 1943—Father Hubbard	150.00	
		$225.00
Wakefield Item (Advertising and Printing)	38.00	
Ticket Boys	6.00	
Machine Operator	3.00	
Police and Firemen at lectures	12.00	
Janitor—Care of screen	2.00	
Federal Tax on Admissions	36.68	
		97.68
		$322.68

Balance to Sweetser Charities	191.70
Total	$514.38

GEORGE E. POTTER
EDWARD A. RICH
CHARLES J. PETERSON
EB. V. YEUELL
CHARLOTTE R. FITZ
HARRY I. REED
THOMAS F. KENNEY

Report of Sweetser Charity Fund

JANUARY 1, 1943—JANUARY 1, 1944

Receipts		
Balance brought forward January 1, 1943		$300.60
Dividends from Wakefield Savings Bank		
February 1, 1943		1.52
August 1, 1943		1.53
Total Receipts		$303.65
Expenditures		
None		
Leaving balance on hand January 1, 1944		$303.65
In Wakefield Trust Company	$148.30	
In Wakefield Savings Bank	155.35	
Total	$303.65	

CHARLOTTE R. FITZ, Treasurer
Sweetser Charity Fund

Report of Sealer of Weights and Measures

January 1, 1944

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report:

	Adjusted	Sealed	Condemned
Platform, 10,000 lbs. and over		5	
Platforms, 100 to 5,000 lbs.	5	15	
Counters, 100 lbs. or over		3	
Spring Scale	7	53	
Computing Scale, over 100 lbs.		1	
Computing Scale, under 100 lbs.	7	62	
Personal Scales		4	
Avoirdupois Weights	2	141	
Meters, 1-inch inlet		43	31
Meters, over 1-inch inlet	12	23	
Gasoline Pumps	1	40	36
Yard Sticks		15	

Fees collected, $105.99.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. DEVLIN,
Sealer

Report of the Board of Assessors

January 20, 1944

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

We herewith submit the annual report of the Assessors' Department for the year ending December 31, 1943.

State Tax	$17,100.00	
Charles River Basin	1,844.16	
Metropolitan Parks Tax	4,057.79	
Nantasket Beach Maintenance	350.13	
Metropolitan Sewerage Tax (No System)	19,105.41	
Smoke Inspection Service	387.46	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	120.04	
Boulevards	671.61	
State Examination of Retirement System	110.40	
		$ 43,747.00
Estimated County Tax for 1943	$24,329.91	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	9,510.67	
		33,840.58
Total State, Metropolitan and County Charges		$ 77,587.58
Total Charges to Enter into Levy for State, Metropolitan, County and Town:		
Charges for Town Purposes		946,882.65
Overlay for 1943		17,626.20
Total Gross Levy		$1,042,096.43
Estimated Receipts:		
Total Town Receipts	$249,981.90	
Total Credits from State	99,846.63	
Transfer from Light Dept. to Treasury	35,000.00	
Transfer from Overlay Surplus to Reserve	22,000.00	
	$406,828.53	
5,834 Polls at $2.00	11,668.00	
		$418,496.53
		$623,599.90
Addition to Real Estate after Tax Rate was fixed:		
Value $2,425.00—Tax	$ 67.90	67.90
Net Levy		$623,667.80

Rate of Taxation $28.00 per $1,000.00

TOWN VALUATIONS

Buildings	$17,324,525.00
Land	3,900,395.00
Personal Property	1,048,830.00
Total Valuations	$22,273,850.00
Gain in Valuation 1943	13,560.00
Bonded Debt of Town Jan. 1, 1943	294,000.00
Payments Made in 1943	63,000.00
Balance of Bonded Debt	231,000.00
Bonded Debt of Town Jan. 1, 1944	231,000.00
Assets of Town including Land and Buildings, Municipal Light Plant, Water Works, Sewer and Tangible Property	4,818,021.00
Less Bonded Debt	231,000.00
	$4,587,021.00

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

United States of America	$ 88,450.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Land and Buildings	179,075.00
Literary Institutions	133,800.00
Benevolent Institutions	23,350.00
Houses of Religious Worship	578,675.00
Cemeteries, Land and Buildings	69,200.00
Tangible Personal Property	16,650.00
Parsonages	24,300.00
Total	$1,113,500.00
Number of Polls Assessed	5,834
Number of Motor Vehicles Assessed	4,008
Excise Tax Committed in 1943	$22,586.34
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	3,837
Number of Persons, Partnerships and Corporations Assessed	5,230
Value of Assessed Stock in Trade	$210,305.00
Value of Real Estate	$21,225,020.00
Value of Live Stock Assessed	$23,025.00
Value of Other Ratables Assessed	$608,325.00
Number of Horses Assessed	22
Number of Cows Assessed	108
Number of Mink Assessed	64
Number of Goats Assessed	58
Number of Swine Assessed	107
Number of Fowl Assessed	12,260
Number of Sheep Assessed	4

Number of Ducks Assessed	8
Number of Geese Assessed	7
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	4,947
Number of Acres in Lake Quannapowitt	247.94
Number of Acres in Crystal Lake	82.86
Number of Acres in Town Common	2.5
Number of Acres in Park at Lakeside	6.75
Number of Acres in Hart's Hill Park	23.06
Number of Acres in Cemetery on Church Street	4.14
Number of Acres in Cemetery on Lowell Street	35.00
Area of Town Rockery	4,300 sq. ft.

Respectfully submitted by the Wakefield Assessors,

GEORGE E. BLAIR
GEORGE H. STOUT
LEO F. DOUGLASS

Report of the Town Planning Board

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

The Town Planning Board submits its report for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Regular meetings have been held throughout the year.

At public hearings held by the Board of Appeal, the Planning Board has been represented. A member of the Board has also attended hearings held in Reading.

The Board was represented at the Governor's Conference on Wartime Recreation.

During the past year no individuals or groups have proposed any changes in existing Zoning By-laws.

The Board believes that changes could be made in the Zoning By-laws that would benefit the town but does not believe that proposed changes would receive proper consideration at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,

FITZROY WILLARD, Chairman
M. GARDNER CLEMONS, Secretary
DR. FRANK T. WOODBURY
EDWARD M. BRIDGE
EDWARD G. LEE

Report of Board of Health

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

The Board of Health herewith presents to the citizens of Wakefield its report for the year 1943. In making this report the Board will refer both to conditions which have been present during this year and also present some plans for the future. During the year 1943, while a comparison of reportable diseases shows that more tubercular cases have been reported to the Board, the Board's hospitalization expense has been but slightly more than half of the same expense for the last three or four years. This difference is accounted for by the fact that we have had reported cases having settlement in other towns than Wakefield, and their hospitalization has been so arranged that their expenses are met by the town where they have their settlement, without the Wakefield Board being obliged to advance any part of it. Also reported tubercular cases and so recorded have resulted from removal to Wakefield of persons with arrested cases of tuberculosis, so there is no expense except that in instances the health nurse has taken them either to North Reading State Sanatorium or Middlesex County Sanatorium for check-up.

While for the year 1943 our hospital expense has been relatively small, the Board feels that for the year 1944 we must look for a condition more nearly as we have had in the past. The consensus of opinion in the medical fraternity is that such will be the condition.

The immunization of school children against diphtheria, which for some years has taken place in the schools, being confined to the entering class in the secondary schools, has practically abolished this disease in Wakefield, but the Board feels there is a potentially susceptible class in the children of pre-school age. Diphtheria is most dangerous to children of this early age, and they should be protected. The Board this coming year contemplates a clinic for such immunization, and feels that the relatively small cost to the town will pay good dividends in the freedom of our townspeople from this disease.

That the townspeople may get a birdseye view of health conditions and health expenses attendant upon tuberculosis and communicable diseases, the Board continues its comparative tables.

Subsidy payments by the state to the town for the care of tuberculosis at tubercular hospitals for the year 1943 and payable in 1944 amount to approximately $850.00.

The receipts of the Health Department for 1943 were as follows:

Milk and Food Inspector	$105.50
Plumbing Permits	97.00
Reimbursement and Licenses	183.00

The following are the comparisons of reportable diseases:

	1940	1941	1942	1943
Chicken-pox	9	5	41	122
Dog bites	50	69	44	46
German Measles	0	0	0	100
Mumps	20	97	4	22
Measles	37	294	95	18
Meningitis	0	0	0	3
L. Pneumonia	21	6	12	6
Poliomyelitis	0	1	0	3
Septic Throat	1	0	0	5
Scarlet Fever	12	29	19	70
Typhoid Fever	1	0	0	3
Tuberculosis	11	9	7	13
Whooping Cough	6	64	14	24
	169	577	237	435

	1940	1941	1942	1943
Tuberculosis	$6,203.76	$6,911.13	$6,224.75	$3,383.91
Contagion	255.25	772.00	677.09	1,128.02

VISITS MADE BY MISS RUSSELL, R.N.

Chicken Pox	20
German Measles	12
Measles	36
Mumps	6
Meningitis	3
Poliomyelitis	3
Para-typhoid	6
Scarlet Fever	154
Tuberculosis and Contacts	450
Whooping Cough	3
Total	693

Miss Russell made the following trips to the different sanatoriums and hospitals:

28 trips to North Reading State Sanatorium
18 trips to Middlesex County Sanatorium
1 trip to Essex County Sanatorium
3 trips to New England Sanatorium
2 trips to Melrose Hospital

Respectfully submitted,

WESLEY S. GOODWIN, Chairman
NED C. LOUD, Secretary
CHARLES E. MONTAGUE, M.D.

Report of Board of Health Agent

To Board of Health:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1943.

The work of the Health Officer has been of the usual nature.

A great many complaints come to this office, many have no foundation, but all complaints have to be investigated.

The usual dog clinic was held June 17, 18 and 19. Dr. Cornelius Thibeault, D.V.M. was in charge.

The number of dogs immunized was four hundred and eighty-four (484). Inasmuch as this represents less than half the number of dogs licensed in our town, I respectfully request that all dog owners take advantage of this free clinic, not only for the protection of their pets, but also for the health of the community.

I have made four hundred and eighty-six visits, all of which had to do with health matters.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID MARTIN,
Health Officer

Report of Milk and Food Inspector

To the Wakefield Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

Herewith is submitted my report as Inspector of Milk and Food for the year ending December 31, 1943.

The office work of this department has consisted largely of routine matters such as issuing production permits, marketing licenses and the carrying out of such other duties as pertain to administrating of inspection work.

There are now thirty dairy farms selling milk direct or through Wakeefield dealers, to the local consumer. Of these, four are located in Wakefield, eighteen in other Massachusetts communities and seven out of the State.

Because of shortage of feed and labor, two of the Wakefield producers have disposed of their herds for the duration.

There are at present five pasteurizing establishments and two ice cream manufacturing plants within the limits of the Town.

During the year there have been 168 samples of milk and cream tested for butter fat contents, total solids, bacteria and correct pasteurization. Of much significance is the fact that in every instance the sample has more than conformed to the Massachusetts state standard, an especially praiseworthy showing for these times.

Food complaints, of which there were very few have been adjusted satisfactorily through the efforts of this office.

Following are the details:

Retail Milk Licenses issued	43 @ $ .50	$ 21.50
Dealer Milk Licenses issued	31 @ .50	15.50
Pasteurizing Licenses issued	5 @ 10.00	50.00
Ice Cream Mfgs. Licenses issued	2 @ 5.00	10.00
Oleomargerine Licenses issued	17 @ .50	8.50
Total receipts		$105.50
Dairies under direct supervision		30
Dairy inspections made in Mass.		36
Dairy Inspections made out of State		14
Dairy Permits approved		30
Food Inspections made		25
Laboratory Examinations made		168

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE E. DOUCETT,
Inspector of Milk and Food

Report of Plumbing Inspector

To the Wakefield Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Number of Permits granted	104
Number of fixtures installed, divided as follows:	
Water Closets	52
Bath Tubs	29
Lavatories	48
Sinks	40
Boilers	42
Tankless Heaters	19
Stall Showers	10
Bath Showers	21
Stall Urinals	7
Wall Urinals	4
Sewer Connections	12
	284

The sum of ninety-seven dollars $(97.00) has been collected for these permits, and same has been deposited in the Wakefield Trust Company to the credit of the Town of Wakefield.

I have made three hundred and twenty inspections in connection with the above.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID MARTIN,
Plumbing Inspector

Tuberculosis Dispensary Report

To the Wakefield Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

The annual report of the Tuberculosis Dispensary is herewith respectfully submitted.

The Tuberculosis Dispensary is open the first and last Friday evenings in the month from 8 to 9, and the second and fourth Tuesday afternoons from 3.30 to 4.

In the past two or three years the number of patients attending the Dispensary has decreased, due to patients being educated to the value of X-ray in the diagnosing and treatment of tuberculosis. However, we feel the Dispensary is a valuable aid in advising and helping patients, especially the contacts, to the value of being X-rayed.

The Dispensary supervises cases of tuberulosis reported to the Board of Health. The majority of such cases are in the income group who can't afford the cost of the X-ray, and through their own physician or the Dispensary, arrangements are made for a chest examination and an X-ray, either at North Reading State Sanatorium, or the Middlesex County Sanatorium. The Dispensary also supervises the contacts, and arranges to have them X-rayed, and they are followed up for many years by the Health nurse, and are X-rayed at least once a year.

The Dispensary has a dual objective in tuberculosis—preventing the spread of the disease, and promoting the comfort and general welfare of the patient. Through the Dispensary we have had fifty contacts X-rayed, and a number of suspicious tubercular cases. We provide transportation for our contact cases, and for our active cases of tuberculosis when they are admitted to the sanatorium, if they are unable to provide transportation.

We have at the present time only three patients, hospitalized at the Middlesex County Sanatorium. Through the year 1943, twelve patients have been hospitalized—eight at the Middlesex County Sanatorium, one at Essex County Sanatorium, and three at North Reading State Sanatorium.

Thirteen cases of tuberculosis have been reported during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

IRA W. RICHARDSON, M.D.
Dispensary Physician
NELLIE B. RUSSELL, R.N.
Dispensary Nurse

Report of Middlesex County Extension Service

The following is an outline of the major activities of the Middlesex County Extension Service in the Town of Wakefield during the year 1943:

Because of war conditions, the staff of the Extension Service had to devote a great deal of time this year to overhead organization work pertaining to machinery rationing, food distribution orders, farm labor and other regulations, as issued by our Government, and establishing the number of war units on certain farms for Selective Service Boards. These regulations were explained and applied to local conditions.

Wakefield poultrymen were furnished with important information on price ceilings, the feed situation and other emergency policies. They were also sent circular material on up-to-date production practices. They have been advised concerning disease control, reducing waste, and the keeping of records. Several farms were visited concerning specific problems.

In cooperation with Civilian Defense Mrs. John Bill, Nutrition Town Chairman, and her committee arranged for a four-meeting home makers' Short Nutrition Class, which was extremely well attended. Sixty-four received certificates for completing the course. Mr. Gaston Loubris, Gardening Town Chairman, and his committee planned three community Victory Gardens. These gardens were appreciated and enthusiastically tilled by those who otherwise might have no opportunity to add to the production of vital food. Miss Ruth Woodbury, Preservation Town Chairman, and her committee arranged several canning demonstrations in various parts of the town. Much interest was shown at all these meetings and there was a very large attendance. The value of these canning demonstrations cannot be over emphasized in view of the importance of food conservation.

In cooperation with the Greenwood Woman's Club Mrs. George Collins and her Community Service Committee arranged the following food demonstrations: 1, Yeast Breads; 2, Salad Making; 3, Getting the Most for Your Red Points.

The Wakefield Garden Club was given a talk on, "Small Fruits for the Home Garden." A talk of interest to Victory Gardeners was given to the Middlesex Pomona Grange.

4-H club work was carried on with one hundred forty-seven girls and twenty-four boys enrolled in projects of clothing, food, home-furnishing, handicraft, canning and garden, poultry and pig.

Mrs. John Hunneman served as 4-H Town Chairman with the following members of her committee: Secretary, Mrs. George Stoddard; Press Correspondent, Miss Bertha Climo; Executive Committee, Mrs. Edmund

Becker and Mrs. William Dill. Local leaders, also members of the committee, were as follows: clothing, Mrs. Eugene Clark (2 clubs), Mrs. George Stoddard, Mrs. Robert Mathias, Mrs. Samuel King, Miss Jeanne Evangelista; food, Mrs. Edmund Becker, Miss Alice Climo, Miss Bertha Climo, Mrs. Lyle Courage, assisted by Mrs. John Catalano, Mrs. John Hunneman, Mrs. William Gile, Mrs. Loriston Stockwell, and Mrs. A. F. Chirone; home-furnishing, Miss Ethelyn Ramsdell; handicraft, Mr. George Stoddard; canning, Mrs. Edmund Becker, Mrs. Lyle Courage and Mrs. John Hunneman. The following individuals supervised 4-H gardens in their immediate neighborhood: Mrs. Ray E. Shedd, Mrs. Frank Tredinnick, Mrs. Lyle Courage, Mr. George Stoddard and Mr. John Griffiths.

The mid-winter sectional rally was attended by 300 club members and leaders. Twelve neighboring towns were represented. State Club Leader, H. M. Jones, was guest speaker. Twenty-three clubs participated in Identification, Demonstration, Song and Skit Contests.

Sixteen local clubs held their spring exhibit at the Wakefield High School. A dress revue was given. Alma Becker and Nancy Stoddard were county delegates in the State Clothing Contest.

Thirty club members, representatives of the three canning clubs, exhibited in the windows of Curley's Store. June Hawkes, Frances Taunton and Jane Yeull were prize winners at the State Canning Exhibit in Horticultural Hall, Boston. Alma Becker and Louise Ryan placed second and fourth in the State-wide Canning Judging Contest with fifty contestants.

Respectfully submitted,

ERIC V. LARSON, Town Director
Middlesex County Extension Service

Report of Library Trustees

TRUSTEES OF THE LUCIUS BEEBE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Hervey J. Skinner, Chairman
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Albert W. Rockwood
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LIBRARIAN
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H. Gladys Mackenzie

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G. Louise Gibbons
Constance F. Howe
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Clara G. Wilson

BOYS' AND GIRLS' DEPARTMENT
Ruth A. Ohler

GREENWOOD BRANCH LIBRARY
Clara G. Wilson

MONTROSE BRANCH LIBRARY
G. Louise Gibbons

REPAIR DEPARTMENT
Etta F. Smith

*Leave of Absence

The Trustees of The Lucius Beebe Memorial Library herewith submit the eighty-eighth annual report, for the year 1943:

In common with every other organization, the activities of The Lucius Beebe Memorial Library have felt the exigencies of war. Hardly a week has gone by without its disappointment in carrying out some cherished plan or project. Changes in the staff made necessary by resignations to accept positions at higher salaries, broke the continuity of service so much to be desired. But for the helpful and generous cooperation of all members of the staff, the efficiency of the Library would have suffered appreciably.

From the first of the year, plans were formulated for the opening of a Branch Library at Montrose. This rapidly growing section of the town has long desired a branch; and when the Community Association and Parent-Teacher Association brought the desire to a focus, the Trustees made every effort to grant the request. The Finance Committee of the Town was willing to recommend a small additional appropriation for outfitting the branch, but it was the hearty cooperation of the School Committee that made the final plan possible. They granted the use of a room in the Montrose School until such time as it is again needed for school purposes.

The room was cleared of desks, proper fire protection was installed, and then the room was fitted with shelves and other necessary library furnishings. Reference books, books for circulation, and magazines were purchased.

On the afternoon of June 12, the branch was opened for inspection, and on June 14, it was opened for the circulation of books. Since that time it has been open regularly on Monday and Friday afternoons and on Monday evenings. Montrose has shown its appreciation in many ways, but best of all by a steady increase in the use of the branch.

The Jacob Burley gift mentioned in the report of last year has been received and during the week of December 27 was on display in the lobby of the Main Library. This collection is now available for reference and circulation.

During the year Miss Ruth A. Ohler, Miss G. Louise Gibbons, and Miss Constance F. Howe have become members of the staff as the result of resignations and have proved valuable in their respective positions. In October, Mrs. Violet E. Bostwick asked for and was granted a leave of absence for the duration of the war in order that she might become a member of the Women's Army Corps.

Old friends and new have been generous with gifts of books, magazines, and flowers throughout the year. Mr. Cyrus M. Dolbeare and Mr. Gardner E. Campbell have given valuable space to library news in the Wakefield Daily Item. Mrs. Albert W. Rockwood and Mr. Lucius M. Beebe continued their custom of giving the Christmas decorations which add so much beauty and pleasure to the season. To all those friends who have shown their interest in the library, the Trustees extend their sincere thanks.

Owing to the difficulty of getting material and competent workmen under present conditions, the Trustees have not been able to keep up the high standard of maintenance which has been the policy in the past. A certain amount of painting, reupholstering, and especially refinishing of tables in the Reference Room has necessarily been deferred to a more favorable time.

Respectfully submitted,

HERVEY J. SKINNER, Chairman
FLORENCE L. BEAN, Secretary
RICHARD DUTTON, M.D.
ARTHUR L. EVANS
WALTER C. HICKEY
ALBERT W. ROCKWOOD
JOHN J. ROUND
ALICE W. WHEELER
FRANK T. WOODBURY, M.D.

Gifts of books, magazines, and flowers to the library during the year 1943 have been received from:

American Legion
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Bean
Lucius M. Beebe
Mrs. Henry A. Behnke
Captain Carroll T. Bonney
N. J. Busby
George L. Carpenter
Christian Science Church of Reading
Mrs. George E. Connor
Mrs. John L. Coon
Mrs. John Crotty
Daughters of the American Revolution
Newton Dillaway
Cyrus M. Dolbeare
Mrs. Richard Dutton
Theodore Eaton
William E. Eaton
Mrs. F. L. Edson
Mrs. J. D. Fraser
Mrs. Howard L. Geer
Charles Gibbons
Hoover Library
Mrs. Archibald Hume
Frank B. Jordan
Edwin T. Lenners
Joan Levy
Mrs. Hubbard B. Mansfield
Mrs. Walter MacDonald
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McDowell
Harold Merritt
Beatrice Moody
Mrs. L. M. Nauss
Mrs. Emily F. Paul
Mrs. Albert W. Rockwood
Mrs. May Ruth
Mrs. Ray E. Shedd
Mrs. L. Stockwell
Carl W. Sunman
Mrs. Frank A. Tredinnick
Wakefield Daily Item
Wakefield Garden Club
Wakefield Rotary Club
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Warner
Donald White
Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank White

FINANCIAL STATISTICS
1943

INCOME

Town Appropriation		$21,168.00
Dog Tax		1,766.64
Income from Library Funds:		
Junius Beebe Fund	$853.71	
Marcus Beebe Fund	505.25	
Decius Beebe Fund	470.07	
Katherine Beebe Fund	160.75	
Eleanor H. Beebe Fund	144.08	
Frederick Beebe Fund	122.61	
Charles S. Beebe Fund	35.24	
John H. Beebe Fund	76.56	
J. Oliver Beebe Fund	171.76	
Alice B. Carpenter Fund	311.70	
George O. Carpenter Fund	35.14	
Sylenda B. Stearns Fund	58.70	
J. G. Aborn Library Fund	33.95	
Cyrus Gilbert Beebe Fund	50.31	
Frederic Beebe Library Fund	25.15	
Robert Parker Dolbeare Fund	10.05	
Willard Donnell Fund	10.05	
Milledge Elliott Fund	20.10	
Rev. Thomas A. Emerson Fund	10.05	
Flint Memorial Fund	25.15	
M. W. Gove Library Fund	7.52	
Melvin Hill Fund	10.05	
Dr. F. P. Hurd Library Fund	62.89	
Franklin Poole Library Fund	12.58	
Mary H. Pratt Library Fund	4.02	
Ashton H. Thayer Library Fund	10.05	
Cyrus Wakefield Library Fund	12.58	
		$ 3,250.07
		$26,184.71

EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR 1943

Books	$ 4,802.03
Periodicals	511.66
Binding	1,041.63
Salaries, Library service	13,094.09
Heat, light, telephone	1,253.01
Printing and supplies, furniture and maintenance	2,124.70
Salaries, janitor service and pension	2,708.00
Miscellaneous	279.99
	$25,815.11
Unexpended balance	369.60
	$26,184.71
Returns to Town: Dues, payments for lost books, etc.	1,078.79

CLASSIFIED TABLE OF BOOKS BORROWED IN 1943

	Main Library		Greenwood Branch		Montrose Branch		Schools	Deposits
	Adult	Juvenile	Adult	Juvenile	Adult	Juvenile	Juvenile	Adult
General Works	60	96	18	6				
Sociology	746	8	252	7	12	1		
Religion	465	140	162	75	2	12	24	
Philosophy	1,480	1,246	365	570	19	114	153	
Philology (Language)	146	34	7	2		13		
Natural Science	682	550	181	611	3	75	181	
Useful Arts	3,568	1,000	815	640	38	113	117	
Fine Arts	2,064	438	467	551	9	19	28	
Literature	2,481	601	665	334	37	35	96	
History	2,392	395	737	265	54	17	99	
Travel	1,777	752	432	823	41	115	197	
Biography	2,273	677	906	515	66	94	62	
Fiction	57,641	8,193	21,709	11,629	1,355	733	2,413	*824
Easy Readers		7,620		5,887		1,246	995	
Current Periodicals	3,788	334	2,924	720	73	81		
Pamphlets	292	7	491		1			
Pictures	6,230							
Music	207							
Foreign books	5							
Totals	80,068	22,091	30,131	22,635	1,710	2,668	4,365	824

Total loans for the year 1943—164,640.

Pictures borrowed from the library during 1943—6,230.

* Deposits at Elizabeth E. Boit Home, Cameron Hospital, Report Center, Forrest Convalescent Home.

LIBRARY BORROWERS REGISTERED

Main Library	6,313	
Greenwood Branch Library	1,560	
Montrose Branch Library	182	
Total number of registered borrowers		8,055

LIBRARY RESOURCES

Volumes belonging to Library, January 1, 1943			65,689
Volumes purchased	3,450		
Gifts	137		
Bound volumes of magazines	55		
		3,642	
Volumes withdrawn, 1942		1,810	
Net increase in volumes			1,832
Volumes belonging to Library, December 31, 1943			67,521
Magazines currently received at Library in 1943			173
Pictures belonging to Library, December 31, 1943			64,364
Mounted pictures			17,496
Pamphlets belonging to Library, December 31, 1943			3,483

Report of Park and Cemetery Commissioners

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield, Massachusetts:

The Park and Cemetery Commissioners submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1943.

Shortly after the March election a system of bookkeeping was instituted as recommended and furnished by the Department of Corporations and Taxation, Division of Accounts. At the request of the majority of the commissioners both the Superintendent of the Park, Mr. A. G. Abbott and the Superintendent of the Forest Glade Cemetery, Mr. Charles M. Lynch have been in attendance at each meeting of the Board, thereby being in close touch with the Board, thus many matters pertaining to both departments could be discussed and decided upon, which plan resulted in much more efficient administration of both departments as both superintendents were given undisturbed control of the work to be done in each department in the field, and the results have justified the plan. The Superintendent of the Cemetery was placed under bond upon the advice of the State Auditor as the Superintendent is the primary recipient of all the money resulting from the sale of lots and interments, the sum of which is several thousands dollars in the year. Much time was saved due to the Park Department having a truck to transport its employees and machines to and from the many sections of the Town's park system. On several of the plots the accumulation of several years growth of shrubbery was trimmed off and carted away and despite the over abundance of rain during the spring and early summer the mowing of the grass was better taken care of as a result of having the truck.

Much work has been done on the Playgrounds and much more can be done as a post war project, the parking space at Moulton Field has been asphalt surfaced through the cooperation of Mr. Hale, chairman of the Selectmen and the Superintendent of Street, Mr. MacKenna, for which assistance the Board is very grateful.

The cement bases at Veterans' Field, that were put in as electrical outlets for standard lights but never used, that had become menaces to safety, were removed.

The tennis courts at Veterans' Field, Greenwood and the Moulton Playgrounds were well patronized and have as usual proven a great source of pleasure and profit physically to many, the ball fields were also patronized to a limited extent this season due mainly to the absence of the younger men being in the armed service of the country. The motor of the emergency boat, maintained by this department on Lake

Quannapowitt, which has been in an unsatisfactory condition for several years was replaced by a newer one through the cooperation of Selectman L. Wallace Sweetser, and the boat which is in a decayed condition will be replaced by a new one next spring through the cooperation of the School Department and Mr. Marche. This boat is being built by the students at the High School in the manual training department under the supervision of Mr. Marche, the instructor of that department.

The civil war monument on the Common was found to be in need of repointing as many joints between the stones in the base were open thereby permitting water to enter, where it would freeze and force the stones apart, the Board was able to get this work done and the base cleaned thus insuring the preservation of the monument for a long time to come. It was also found that the Park Superintendent had no workshop wherein to repair and repaint such property of the Park Department as required it, to provide a workshop for this work the porch of the Bath House was enclosed thereby providing a workshop thirty by ten feet with a chance for heat which for the present will do as a workshop when the bath house is not in use.

The Department is in need of a garage for its trucks and for the storing of the emergency boat in the winter and such sundry tools as lawn mowers, also of a much larger workshop. For the better operation of the emergency boat a siren horn has been installed at the Bath House that can be sounded from the boat house and it is proposed the next season to have the bath house attendants respond in an emergency and man the boat that is moored at the boat house.

Before the bath house season opened a detachment of infantry stationed at Camp Guild asked for and secured the use of the bath house that they might teach the men of the outfit to swim; this outfit called themselves SNAFU and they to show their gratitude manned the Department's trucks and hauled dozens of truck loads of sand from the Town's sand pit to the bath house beach and other men of the outfit spread it over the beach which was a great help as the Park employees were very busy at the time trying to keep ahead of the growing grass and could not have spared the time to have trucked so much sand.

The bath house season was a great success and afforded refreshment and enjoyment to a much larger number than usual due undoubtedly to the rationing of gas that prevented many from going to the salt water beaches. A larger number of out of town people also enjoyed the privilege as evidenced by the increase in the receipts from non residents which amounted to $133.45, a substantial increase over last season. The report of the bath house supervisor will be found under another heading. There is no more attractive park system than ours nor is there a better maintained cemetery than Forest Glade Cemetery despite the handicaps caused by the war and the fact of the impossibility to get efficient help when such help is employed on a temporary basis, for to get suitable help steady employment is absolutely necessary in most lines.

But in spite of the many handicaps we were able to get an expert arborist, who by transplanting and trimming the arborvitaes along the driveways were made uniform in height and size thus adding much to the appearance of the drives and thus the cemetery. The roof around the chimney and the chimney on the receiving tomb at Forest Glade Cemetery which has leaked ever since the tomb was built have been repaired and the chimney rebuilt; the whole tomb building must be waterproofed very soon for if it is not portions of it will crumble; for water gets into the crevices of and around the stones and freezes and it, in freezing exerts a great pressure which pressure is throwing the stone work and cement work out of place.

With the assistance of the Superintendent of Streets, Mr. MacKenna, the driveways in the south portion of the cemetery were this year completely and thoroughly resurfaced with asphalt and sand, and the driveways in the north portion must be done in 1944.

Also with the assistance of Mr. MacKenna the Board was able to fill and bring up to grade a section of the cemetery forty by three hundred and fifty feet thus providing space for single graves that is much needed, a like portion should be filled to grade each season so as to keep ahead of the demand and much loam has this year been made available by bulldozing it up in a remote section of the cemetery to top soil the fill.

Forest Glade Cemetery is developing rapidly and the receipts this year show about a 40% increase over last year, the receipts were receipts from perpetual care, $2,663—sale of lots and graves, $2,162—other receipts. $1,610, making a total of $6,435 (last year $4,800).

In view of the increase in revenue and the need of more efficient help than can be secured by hiring temporary employees the Board is asking in its budget this year of 1944 sufficient funds to employ another permanent man besides the two now employed at the cemetery.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. MACGILLIVRAY, Chairman
WILLIAM E. PACKARD, Secretary

Report of Bath House Supervisor

To the Board of Park and Cemetery Commissioners,

Wakefield, Massachusetts:

Gentlemen:

The Bath House situated off Spaulding Street opened officially for the 1943 season June 28th and closed September 2nd.

The weather was fine and warm all through the month of July and the first two weeks of August, with the result that large crowds frequented the Bath House during that period.

However the weather got real cold with occasional rains during the latter part of August and a decided drop in attendance was noted.

Swimming classes were held as usual each morning for children at ten o'clock and again at two-thirty o'clock for the more advanced type of pupils.

Mrs. Barbara Dodge, the matron, assisted in these classes and did valuable work.

Water sports and races were held directly after the afternoon classes and while a good enjoyable time was had by both pupil and instructors, it also gave us excellent opportunity of noting the improvement of the pupils and of correcting any mistakes made.

One hundred and seventy youngsters benefited by these classes. Paul Wheeler issued a call for life saving candidates and 12 young men completed the course.

I wish to add at this time that with the exception of Paul Wheeler and myself the entire staff was made up of new hands.

Michael Maloney, a veteran of World War I, was the custodian with Barbara Russell in charge of the check room and they did creditable work in their respective positions.

Paul Neiss and Stephen Herocook completed the staff that ended the season and they did all that was expected of them.

The guards took advantage of the chance to make themselves useful and availed themselves of the Park Department dump truck and loaded and hauled a dozen loads of sand from the Town sand pit to the Bath House shore. Mrs. Dodge was the operator of the truck and helped in general on the project.

They put in a full week of this particular work.

The general behavior at the Bath House was good and only three suspensions were necessary during the season.

A new raft is badly needed as the main frame work of heavy studding is beginning to rot so that spikes will not hold when driven into them.

I personally had to procure wire which was used to wind around the corners of the raft on the diving board side, which enabled the crew to carry on to the end of the season. This raft is fourteen or fifteen years old, and the old timbers could be salvaged and used to repair the watch tower used by the guards, also in the making of a small raft for the little children who are unable to swim to the large raft and could be anchored about 75 feet from shore about half way between shore and the large raft.

This is of course merely a suggestion on my part to the Board.

I wish to pay tribute at this time to the Sea Scouts that may be seen rowing around the Lake daily during the summer; for many times throughout the Summer they have helped us, for instance, if a swimmer should attempt to swim across the lake from Beacon St. to our raft and they should happen to be in the near vicinity they either pick up the swimmer or convoy him safely to shore or to the raft, they are also around handy when crafts upset from time to time and are always ready to be of help if needed.

I wish that some plan could be worked out between the Police Dept. and the Park Board to give the Boy Scouts authority to preserve order on the Lake as they patrol the Lake; they could be made honorary junior Police or something of that sort.

In conclusion I wish to thank all the departments of the Town of Wakefield for their support and cooperation also my thanks to Dave Carney, Dan Regan, Pat Walsh and Izz Cronin for their help in making the 1943 season a success, my superiors through me also express their thanks.

Average daily attendance	500.
Maximum attendance (weekly)	4000.
Number of minor cuts	124
Number of serious cuts	4
Number of persons beyond their depth needing help	35
Number of permanent suspensions for the entire season	3
Stealing from a boy a sum of money while on way to bath house	1
Temporary suspensions for swearing and petty violations	10
General conduct	Good

Lost children cared for and restored to their parents 7

Comment:—Of the 35 persons needing help beyond their depths four were near drownings and the rest were tired swimmers being towed in by boat to raft or shallow water.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID F. INGERTON, Supervisor

Report of the Municipal Light Board

January 2, 1944

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

We submit for your consideration the fiftieth annual report of the Municipal Light Board, covering the year ending December 31, 1943.

The manager's report, which includes detailed financial statements, showing the operations of the department for the same period, is included in this report.

The Electric Department was operated at a profit of $53,466.93, which is an increase of $13,638.36 and the profit of the Gas Department was $10,612.09 an increase of $3,968.75 over 1942. After deducting Bond payments of $7,000.00 the total net profit of the Department was $57,079.02, an increase of $19,607.11.

The balance of the Operating Fund at the end of the year was $64,-192.38 an increase of $21,436.44, as compared with December 31,1942.

The sum of $35,000.00 was turned over to the Town, this increases the total amount turned over to $258,611.82.

We are asking the Town to appropriate the sum of $20,000. for street lighting, the same as in 1942.

Fifty years ago, August 7, 1894, the Town purchased the plant of the Citizens Gas Light Company and since Wakefield is celebrating its 300th anniversary this year, a brief sketch, which will be found at the end of this report, of the Department since that time, may be of interest to our consumers.

Respectfully submitted,

MARCUS BEEBE 2nd, Chairman
THEODORE EATON, Secretary
CURTIS L. SOPHER, M.D.

January 2, 1944

To the Board of Light Commissioners:

Gentlemen:

The following condensed Profit and Loss Statement shows the financial operations of the Department for the year ending December 31, 1943 and the changes over the previous year:

Sales of Gas and Electricity	$387,175.68	Increase	$15,750.46
Cost of Gas and Electricity	174,605.87	Decrease	1,955.13
Gross Revenue	212,569.81	Increase	17,705.59
Operating Expense	147,587.52	Increase	1,003.47
Operating Revenue	64,982.29	Increase	16,702.12

Other Income	1,647.03	Increase	616.13
Gross Income	66,629.32	Increase	17,318.25
Other Expense	2,550.30	Decrease	288.86
Net Income before Debt Retirement	64,079.02	Increase	17,607.11
Bonds Paid	7,000.00	Decrease	2,000.00
Net Income	$57,079.02	Increase	$19,607.11

The increase in sales is accounted for by a 6.3% increase in the sale of gas and 3.4% in the sale of electricity.

The cost of gas at the Plant was 65 cents per thousand feet, the same as in 1942 and the cost of electricity decreased from 1.5 cents to 1.27 cents per K. W. H.

Operating expenses of both departments were approximately the same as in 1942.

Outstanding bonds have been reduced to $4,000 of which $3,000 are due in 1944 and $1,000 in 1945.

The Town's equity in the plant has increased from $895,822.85 in 1942 to $921,309.35 in 1943.

Total Assets		$983,992.72
Less—Bonds Payable	$ 4,000.00	
Consumers Deposits	56,404.18	
Interest Payable	2,212.22	
Accrued Interest on Bonds	66.97	
		62,683.37
Total Equity		$921,309.35

This amount is shown on the Balance Sheet as two items:

Appropriated Surplus	$520,932.86
Surplus	400,376.49
	$921,309.35

You will note from the above condensed statement, that the increase in the total net profit is $19,607.11 over 1942. This is largely due to a greater use of gas and electricity by residential consumers and by industries who are devoting their entire capacities to the production of materials needed for the war. The cost of gas was the same as in 1942, but the cost of electricity decreased by about ¼c per K.W.H., due to ceiling prices set by the O. P. A. in coal, the decrease in our demand charge, and due to restrictions in the use of lighting for advertising purposes and holiday decorative lighting.

We have been rigidly restricted by the War Production Board in the purchase and use of materials for maintenance; consequently we have had to keep this kind of work down to a minimum.

No extensions of gas mains have been made during this year.

Two short extensions of the electric lines were made during the year. The Diamond Tank and Welding Company took over the building on North Avenue formerly occupied by the American Reed and Willow Co. and a larger service was installed at this location; and the Sylvania Electric Products Co. have occupied one of the Winship-Boit buildings on Lake St. and we have installed a 450 KVA transformer and a three phase service.

There have been no extensions to the Fire Alarm or the Police Signal systems. All of the boxes have been tested and repaired during the year. Both systems are in good operating condition.

All poles have been inspected and about 200 will have to be replaced during the next few months.

Financial statements follow:

MUNICIPAL LIGHT DEPARTMENT

BALANCE SHEET as of DECEMBER 31, 1943

ASSETS

PLANT INVESTMENT		
Gas Department (Schedule A)	$329,382.41	
Electric Department (Schedule B)	325,312.86	
General Equipment (Schedule C)	20,324.77	
Office Building	26,500.00	
Unfinished Construction	118.17	
Total		$701,638.21
CURRENT ASSETS		
Operation Fund	64,192.38	
Depreciation Fund	99,647.41	
Office Fund	400.00	
Reserve Fund	5,817.87	
Special Deposits	56,404.18	
Accounts Receivable	25,359.49	
Materials and Supplies	29,144.27	
Total		280,965.60
Prepaid Insurance		1,388.91
TOTAL ASSETS		$983,992.72

BALANCE SHEET as of DECEMBER 31, 1943

LIABILITIES and SURPLUS

BONDS PAYABLE		$ 4,000.00
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Consumers Deposits	$ 56,404.18	
Matured Interest	2,212.22	
Total		58,616.40
ACCRUED INTEREST ON BONDS		66.97
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS		
Loans Repayment	469,300.00	
Appropriation for Construction Repayment	51,632.86	
Total		520,932.86
Surplus (Schedule D)		400,376.49
TOTAL LIABILITIES and SURPLUS		$983,992.72

STATEMENT of INCOME and EXPENSE

GAS DEPARTMENT

INCOME FROM THE SALE OF GAS		
Residence	$100,042.57	
Commercial	12,305.57	
Prepay Meters	1,998.92	
Municipal	333.98	
Minimum Bills	224.92	
Total		$114,905.96
DEDUCT OPERATING EXPENSE		
Gas Purchased	57,959.89	
Distribution	16,701.92	
Commercial	6,262.13	
New Business	269.40	
General	8,123.07	
Depreciation	14,602.07	
Total		103,918.48
OPERATING INCOME		10,987.48
ADD—OTHER INCOME		
Merchandise and Jobbing	32.77	
Interest on Bank Balances	352.16	
Rentals	261.30	646.23
GROSS INCOME		11,633.71
DEDUCT—OTHER EXPENSE		
Interest on Bonds	107.93	
Interest on Consumers Deposits	855.78	
Bad Debts	57.91	1,021.62
NET INCOME TO SURPLUS		$10,612.09

STATEMENT of INCOME and EXPENSE

Electric Department

INCOME FROM THE SALE OF ELECTRICITY		
Residence Lighting	$145,598.05	
Commercial Lighting	46,145.69	
Commercial Power	47,515.10	
Municipal Lighting	2,270.91	
Municipal Power	10,277.02	
Street Lighting	20,000.00	
Minimum Bills	462.95	
Total		$272,269.72

DEDUCT—OPERATING EXPENSE		
Energy Purchased	116,645.98	
Distribution	30,809.78	
Utilization	7,038.90	
Commercial	10,225.17	
New Business	404.10	
General	12,368.39	
Depreciation	40,782.59	
Total		218,274.91
OPERATING INCOME		53,994.81
ADD—OTHER INCOME		
Merchandise and Jobbing	80.62	
Interest on Bank Balances	528.23	
Rental	391.95	1,000.80
GROSS INCOME		54,995.61
DEDUCT—OTHER EXPENSE		
Interest on Bonds	170.77	
Interest on Consumers Deposits	1,283.65	
Bad Debts	74.26	1,528.68
NET INCOME TO SURPLUS		$53,466.93

PLANT INVESTMENT

GAS DEPARTMENT—SCHEDULE A

Land	$ 6,591.75
Structures	19,981.93
Boiler Plant	1,205.39
Engines	1,770.58
Miscellaneous Equipment	1,569.75
Street Mains	233,081.11
Services	30,287.89
Meters	27,179.63
Meter Installations	7,714.38
Total per Balance Sheet	$329,382.41

ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT—SCHEDULE B

Land	$ 213.57
Structures	8,530.41
Substation Equipment	23,766.19

Poles, Fixtures and Overhead Construction	$ 49,724.56
Underground Conduits	109,090.79
Underground Conductors	53,598.06
Meters	13,149.76
Meter Installations	7,776.91
Transformers	24,757.61
Transformer Installations	2,979.94
Street Lighting Equipment	31,725.06
Total per Balance Sheet	$325,312.86

GENERAL EQUIPMENT—SCHEDULE C

Office Furniture and Equipment	$ 2,544.96
Automobiles	1,165.51
Laboratory	1,182.30
Miscellaneous	15,432.00
Total per Balance Sheet	$ 20,324.77

SURPLUS as of DECEMBER 31, 1943

SCHEDULE D

CREDITS

Balance, January 1, 1943	$381,889.99	
Profit from Electric Operations	53,466.93	
Profit from Gas Operations	10,612.09	
Sale of Junk and Holder	1,200.00	
Total Credits		$447,169.01

DEBITS

Bonds Retired	7,000.00	
Cash turned over to the Town	35,000.00	
Property Abandoned	4,792.52	46,792.52
Surplus, December 31, 1943		$400,376.49

COST OF GAS

Cost at Plant	$57,959.89
Cost per M.C.F.	.643
Average selling price	1.372
Average cost delivered	1.263
Total Gas Purchased—cubic feet	90,004,178
Total Gas Sold—cubic feet	83,745,300

COST OF ELECTRICITY

Cost at Switchboard	$116,645.98
Cost per K.W.H.	.0127
Average selling price per K.W.H.	.0319
Average cost delivered per K.W.H.	.0263
Total purchased—K.W.Hr's	9,199,089
Total sold—K.W.Hr's	8,523,442

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. WHITEHEAD,
Manager

On July 23, 1894 the Town voted to issue bonds for $180,000 to purchase from the Citizen's Gas Light Co. their gas and electric plant and "to reconstruct and enlarge same." The Court at that time awarded the Citizen's Gas Light Co. $75,030.00 in cash and the town was to assume payment of $70,000 bonds of the company, so that the cost to the town for the then existing property was $145,030.00.

The balance of the money realized from the sale of the bonds was used for repairs, reconstruction and enlargements. At this time there were 84 electric and 169 gas consumers; 42 miles of electric wires and 600 poles, but no electric street lights.

There is no record of the length of gas mains; street lights were gas and oil lamps. During the first year of operation, dynamos for street lights and house lighting were installed, as were 135 arc lamps on various streets of the town which were operated on a moonlight schedule. Incandescent lighting was furnished from "dark in the afternoon until daylight mornings, giving consumers the benefit of an all night service." The rate for this service was 20c per K.W.H.

At the end of the first full year of operation there were 98 electric and 209 gas consumers.

The gas rate for cooking was $2 per M.C.F. and it was claimed that "gas at $2 per thousand is cheaper than coal at $6 per ton—besides the articles cooked, especially meats, improve in quality and gain quite a percentage in quantity when cooked by gas." The sales of gas amounted to $11,702.50 and electricity to $3,784.85. The sales of gas were 6,000,000 cubic feet for the year.

The manufacturing and distribution facilities were extended as rapidly as necessary and finances would permit. A high pressure gas line was extended to Greenwood in 1904 and to Montrose the following year. In 1905 the department started to replace the arc lights with series incandescent lights and completed the work in 1910. Wakefield was one of the first communities to adopt this type of street lighting.

During 1909 the facilities for the manufacturing of gas were increased by the installation of a Water Gas set and a gas holder having a capacity of 100,000 cubic feet. The demand on our electric generating equipment had increased so much, that about 50% of the output was purchased

from an outside source. In 1914 the department stopped production of electric current and signed a contract with the Edison Co. to deliver all current to the plant on North Ave. Street light cables were put underground on Main street and twelve ornamental street lights installed.

In 1922 the question of selling the plant was decided by referendum vote, with the result that the town decided to continue to operate both gas and electric departments.

At this time the Edison Co. agreed to bring high tension current from its Woburn plant to the town line provided the town would continue the underground to a central distribution point. The town authorized the issue of bonds to construct ducts and install high tension cables from the Stoneham line to a new substation on Wakefield Avenue.

A contract was made with the Heywood-Wakefield Co. to supply all the current needed for the operation of plant. These installations were completed in the spring of 1924 and from that time our electric business expanded rapidly. In 1923 our peak load was 682 K.W. and we sold 1,263,410 K.W.Hr's and in 1943 the peak load was 2320 K.W. and the sales of electricity were 8,523,442 K.W.Hr's.

In 1926 the town voted to discontinue the manufacture of gas and a contract was signed with the Malden and Melrose Gas Light Co. for our entire supply. That this was a move in the right direction is shown by the decrease in the cost of gas from $.938 to $.643 per thousand cubic feet. All of the gas making equipment except the holder was dismantled and sold. The holder was taken down in 1943.

The high pressure gas lines to Montrose and Greenwood were changed to low pressure and a meter house built in Greenwood in 1930 and gas is distributed in Greenwood from that point.

Gas and electric rates have been reduced whenever the financial condition of the department warranted it. The gas rate in 1894 was $2 per M.C.F. as compared to the present rate of $1.35 for residential uses. The reductions in the electric rate for residenial uses is more marked, in 1894 it was 20 cents per K.W.H. as compared to an average of 3.3 cents per K.W.H. Our gas rate compares favorably with that of the surrounding communities and our electric rates are among the lowest in the State.

From the time the first fire alarm box was installed the department has had the responsibility of the installation and maintenance of the entire fire alarm signal system and we are of the opinion that there is none better in any community the size of Wakefield.

Up until 1922 the town had no legal right to make a direct appropriation for street lights, in that year the laws governing the operation of municipal plants were changed and the sum of $15,000 was appropriated. The largest amount ever asked for was $21,600. There are 1366 street lights which have been installed and maintained by the department.

The following statistics are of interest and tell of the growth of the department. These figures are taken from the town report for the year ending January 31, 1896 and our report as of December 31, 1943.

		1896	1943
Total Assets		$179,187.35	$983,992.72
Total Liabilities		179,543.16	62,683.37
Surplus	(Deficit)	356.11	921,309.35
Book value of gas and electric plant		169,373.33	681,195.27
Gas sales		11,702.50	114,905.96
Electric sales		3,784.85	272,269.72
Operating expenses		21,401.62	322,193.39
Gas sold—cubic feet		6,918,400	83,745,300
Electricity sold—K.W.H's		190,000	8,523,442
Meters in use—Gas		231	4,116
Meters in use—Electric		80	5,246
Electric street lights		145	1,366

The total amount of bonds and notes issued $473,300 of which $469,300 has been paid back. The last bond will be due for payment February 1, 1945. The old records show that $46,100 was appropriated from the tax levy for bond payments and $51,632.96 for expansion of the plant. In view of the fact that the department has turned over to the town the sum of $258,611.82 during the past 10 years, it would seem that the original cost and all extensions have been paid for out of the income of the department.

The following named citizens of the town have been members of the Municipal Light Board during the years indicated and should receive full credit for the successful operation of the department.

Silas W. Flint	1894-1897
Charles H. Spencer	1894-1899
Elroy N. Heath	1894-1898
Curtis L. Sopher, M.D.	1897-1904; 1910-1913; 1922; 1924-1946
Benjamin A. Wyatt	1898-1904
Eugene S. Emerson	1899-1907
Fred A. Swain	1903-1909
William E. Arnold	1904-1910
L. Wallace Sweetser	1908-1919
Edwin C. Miller	1909-1920
Frank J. Henkle	1913-1916
John M. Cameron	1916-1922; 1923
Charles W. Hodgdon	1919-1920
Marcus Beebe, 2nd	1920-1944
Samuel H. Brooks	1920-1922
Frank A. Nelson	1922-1923
A. Stanley North	1923-1930
A. Frank Harrington	1930-1938
Eugene J. Sullivan	1938-1941
Theodore Eaton	1941-1945

34th Annual Report of the Wakefield Water and Sewerage Board

The activities of the Department during the past year have been mostly confined to maintenance.

It has not been possible, due to the difficulty of obtaining pipe, to continue the practice of relaying a portion of the old cement lined pipe during the past year.

In the latter part of December the Department obtained permission from the War Production Board to purchase pipe for relaying purposes. 1600 feet of six inch and 1800 feet of twelve inch cast iron pipe was bought and is now available for use during the coming year.

The new pumping station and well at Bay State Road have been completed and were put in operation January 31, 1943.

The use of this well together with the Sexton Avenue driven well supply has reduced greatly the amount of water necessary to be pumped from Crystal Lake. The level of the water in Crystal Lake, at the present time, is 29 inches below high water mark, the rainfall for the year is 8 inches short of normal which shows the value of the well supplies, without which the lake would have been much lower.

During the past year a large portion of the land at the well field on Bay State Road has been cleared and numerous cords of hard wood obtained. Most of this wood was donated to the Welfare Department. Approximately 8000 pine trees were planted on this land. In addition to this an equal number of pine trees were planted on the Crystal Lake water shed and we believe that this reforestation work should be continued.

Chairman William B. Stantial tendered his resignation as a member of the Water and Sewerage Board, on August 31st, having moved to Manchester, New Hampshire. He served as a member of this Board for approximately 16 years, the greater part of this time as chairman.

We believe that the Town of Wakefield has lost the services of a very valuable citizen.

A joint meeting of this Board with the Selectmen was held on September 7, 1943 and Mr. John N. Bill of 15 Myrtle Avenue was unanimously elected to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Stantial.

For details of the departmental work we respectfully refer you to the report of the Superintendent.

Receipts		Expenditures	
Water Rates	$ 74,994.46	Superintendent	$ 2,892.55
Hydrant Rental	9,550.00	Clerks	3,097.45
Services	2,363.88	Collector, Paymaster	550.00
Turn Ons	45.00	Maintenance	42,335.19
Summons	161.00	Bonds Retired	29,000.00
All Other	332.08	Interest	3,235.00
		Commissioners' Salaries	328.33
		Water Rate Refunds	59.32
			$ 81,497.84
		Credit Balance	5,948.58
	$ 87,446.42		$ 87,446.42

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY F. ADAMS
GEORGE O. SHELDON
JOHN N. BILL

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Water and Sewerage Board:

I respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1943:

WATER RECONSTRUCTION

Lake Street, between tee at Maple Street branch and tee at hydrant 17 feet north, 17 feet of 12″ cast iron pipe. Relaid on account of old age.

SERVICES

New Services	11
Services relaid during the year	33
Number of feet of pipe laid on public land	133′-1″
Number of feet of pipe laid on private land	568′
Number of feet of pipe relaid on public land	800′-5″
Number of feet of pipe relaid on private land	1431′

MAIN BREAKS—1943

Date		Occurred	Water On	Size	Location	Cause
February	17	Water shut off 10:10 a.m.	Water turned on 1:40 p.m.	1½″ Gal.	Ware Street corner Greenwood Street	Joint Leak
February	26	9:15 p.m.	5:00 a.m.	12″ Cem.	Albion Street opposite No. 252	Old Age
July	2	8:10 a.m.	Water shut off from 2.30 to 3:00 p.m.	8″ C. I.	Traverse Street corner Bennett Street	Joint Leak
August	16	8:20 a.m.	Water shut off from 11:30 a.m. to 2:25 p.m.	16″ C. I.	Broadway opposite Foundry Street	Joint Leak
October	14	9:25 a.m.	3:55 p.m.	6″ Cem.	Pitman Avenue near corner of Greenwood Avenue	Old Age
December	18	8:50 p.m.	9:15 a.m.	6″ Cem.	Greenwood Street opposite No. 111	Old Age
December	26	2:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.	6″ Cem.	Green Street near corner Sherman Road	Old Age

PUMPING RECORDS

BY GALLONS

	1942 Crystal Lake	1942 Driven Wells	1943 Crystal Lake	1943 Driven Wells	1943 Bay State Wells
January	16,540,000	9,662,850	17,475,000	9,724,980	71,440
February	15,740,000	8,766,870	14,460,000	7,980,980	3,998,910
March	16,395,000	9,729,340	13,805,000	9,703,180	4,272,470
April	14,816,000	9,417,600	16,420,000	6,289,280	1,955,030
May	16,014,000	9,643,230	17,530,000	948,750	5,523,050
June	16,680,000	9,380,540	19,410,000	2,580,600	5,441,120
July	17,050,000	7,521,000	20,730,000	6,486,000	2,996,250
August	16,745,000	9,025,200	19,003,000	7,262,400	974,370
September	16,570,000	9,065,530	16,856,000	7,570,305	648,221
October	17,320,000	9,731,520	14,119,000	9,791,100	1,039,843
November	16,540,000	9,312,960	12,700,000	9,566,610	252,610
December	17,415,000	9,510,250	12,466,000	9,220,200	1,709,580
	197,825,000	110,766,890	195,974,000	87,124,385	28,882,894

Total pumped, 1942	308,591,890 gallons
Total pumped, 1943	311,981,279 gallons
Average Daily Consumption, 1942	845,443 gallons
Average Daily Consumption, 1943	854,743 gallons
Average Daily Per Capita, 1942	52.2 gallons
Average Daily Per Capita, 1943	52.8 gallons

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS

WATER DEPARTMENT

During the summer, new concrete floors were laid in both aerator basins in the filter plant. All water pipes in the filtered water basins received a thorough cleaning and two coats of red lead paint. All spauls in the concrete were repaired and the roof left in first class condition. The interior walls and floor of the filter house have received two coats of paint which greatly improves the appearance of the plant. A door was installed on the south side of the filter house, replacing a window, which gives a much more convenient entrance from the filters in the rear.

The two Rustop Systems of Cathodic Protection at standpipes number 1 and 2 are in excellent condition and are giving the shells of the standpipes the necessary protection.

A used electric heater was installed at the Bay State Pumping Station. This eliminates the necessity of caring for a coal fire during the heating season.

WATER SUPPLY

Crystal Lake is, at the present time, 29½ inches below high water mark. This supply, like many other supplies in this vicinity, has felt the deficit in rainfall for the year 1943.

During the year water has been pumped from the driven wells at Sexton Avenue for at least sixteen hours every day.

ADDITIONAL WATER SUPPLY

Early in February the concrete well off Bay State Road was officially accepted by the department and has since that time been found extremely valuable when additional water was needed during repairs to filter plant or when the filters required cleaning.

Under Article 21 of the Annual Town Meeting the Water Department has purchased from Mr. E. W. Edmands, in behalf of the town, a small tract of land on the northerly side of the Saugus River. This purchase was to straighten the line between land owned by Mr. Edmands and the town of Wakefield.

FILTRATION PLANT

The Filtration Plant has, as in the past, produced an excellent quality water, but the time is not far distant when it will be necessary to place additional sand in the filters.

MUTUAL AID CONNECTIONS

There has been no change during the year in the mutual aid connections between this town and Reading, Stoneham, Lynnfield and Melrose.

SPRINKLER SYSTEMS AND FIRE PIPES

Water is being supplied by this department to 26 Sprinkler systems and fire pipes within this town, also water is supplied to 15 private hydrants. This department receives no recompense of any kind for this service.

SEWER DEPARTMENT

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS

During the year sewer cleaning equipment was purchased from the Flexible Sewer-Rod Equipment Company. The equipment has greatly improved the condition of our gravity sewer system.

GRAVITY SEWER SYSTEM

The entire Gravity Sewer System has been brushed or flushed where necessary and all sections infested with tree roots have been thoroughly cleaned with the new sewer cleaning equipment purchased this year. This department was extremely fortunate in being able to obtain this equipment as the manufacturer ceased to operate for the duration shortly after receipt of this purchase.

LOW LEVEL SEWER SYSTEM

The Low Level Sewer System has, as in the past, rendered excellent service. During the year the system has been cleaned and brushed where necessary. The grit chamber and pump sump were cleaned thoroughly and the contents disposed of outside the town limits.

MAIN STREET SEWER EJECTOR STATION

The Main Street Sewer Ejector Station has been in service for some years and has operated in a very satisfactory manner having required no extraordinary repairs during the year.

EMPLOYEES IN THE SERVICE

During September Eleanor G. Waterhouse left the employ of this department and enlisted in the Waves.

George H. Adams and Matthew Curran are still with their Naval Construction Battalions.

SEWER CONNECTIONS

Applications for house connections to date	2,311
Number of connections made	2,198
Number of connections made during year	26
Number of connections waiting	0

SUMMARY OF WATER STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1943

WAKEFIELD WATER WORKS

Middlesex County

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

Population 16,179 Area of town 4,568 acres

Date of Construction, 1883, by Wakefield Water Company.

Source of Supply:

- Crystal Lake
- Driven Wells
- Bay State Well

Mode of Supply: Pumping through distribution system to standpipes.

Standpipe Capacity:

- No. 1—Located on Green Street, Stoneham—565,485 gallons.
- No. 2—Located on Sidney Street, Wakefield—651,817 gallons.

Type of Purification:

- Aeration
- Slow sand filters
- Chlorination

Population:

Regularly supplied within town	16,059
Regularly supplied outside town	70
Total population supplied	16,129

Consumption:

Measured by Venturi Meter, Broadway Pumping Station
Measured by test meter, Sexton Avenue Pumping Station
Measured by Venturi Meter, Bay State Well Pumping Station

Builder of Pumping Machinery:

BROADWAY PUMPING STATION

HIGH LIFT PUMP

A. Knowles Steam Pump Company—one 10 inch x 19 inch x 11 inch x 27 inch duplex compound condensing steam pump. Capacity 1.8 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

HIGH LIFT PUMP NO. 1

B. Goulds' Pumps, Incorporated—one single stage centrifugal pump, direct connected to 150 horsepower, 550 volt, three phase slip ring motor, capacity 2.5 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

HIGH LIFT PUMP NO. 2

C. Goulds' Pumps, Incorporated—one single stage centrifugal pump, direct connected to 150 horsepower, 550 volt, three phase slip ring motor, capacity 2.5 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

LOW LIFT PUMP NO. 1

D. Goulds' Pumps, Incorporated—one single stage centrifugal pump, direct connected to 15 horsepower, 550 volts, three phase slip ring motor, capacity 2.5 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

LOW LIFT PUMP NO. 2

E. Goulds' Pumps, Incorporated—one single stage centrifugal pump, direct connected to 15 horsepower, 550 volts, three phase slip ring motor, capacity 2.5 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

Total Station Capacity—6.8 million gallons per day.

SEXTON AVENUE PUMPING STATION

A. Goulds' Pumps, Incorporated—one 8-inch x 10-inch triplex pump, belted to one Allis Chalmers, 30 horsepower, 220 volt, three phase squirrel cage motor, capacity 388,000 gallons per twenty-four hours.

B. Lawrence Pump and Engine Company—one single stage centrifugal pump, direct connected to 40 horsepower, 220 volt, three phase squirrel cage motor, capacity 576,000 gallons per twenty-four hours.

Total Station Capacity—576,000 gallons per day.

BAY STATE ROAD PUMPING STATION

A. Fairbanks Morse & Company—one 350 gallon per minute vertical turbine type submerged pump, directly connected to one Fairbanks' Morse Company, 30 horsepower, 220 volt, three phase squirrel cage vertical motor, capacity 500,000 gallons per twenty-four hours.

Total Station Capacity—500,000 per day.

PURIFICATION STATISTICS

Installed, 1927

Type of treatment:

Aeration

Slow Sand Filters

Capacity of filters: 2.5 million gallons per twenty-four hours.

Kind of Chemical Applied: Liquid chlorine applied to filtered water.

Distribution System:

Range in pressure in center of town, 89-90 pounds.

Kind of pipe:

Cast Iron

Wrought Iron

Cement Lined Sheet Iron

Sizes: 2-inch to 20-inch.

Extended during the year—0.

Total now in use—60.09 miles.

Number of hydrants added—0.

Number of hydrants in use—383.

Number of stop gates in use—858.

Range of pressure on mains—26 pounds to 115 pounds.

Total number of service taps—4,415.

Number of service taps now in use—4,215.

Percent of active services metered—99.4%.

In conclusion, I wish to extend my sincere thanks to each and every member of the Department for co-operation in all emergencies during the year.

I also extend my thanks to the heads and members of the various town departments for their support and co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MORRISON MERRILL,
Superintendent

Report of Board of Public Welfare

To the Citizens of the Town of Wakefield:

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits its Annual Report for the fiscal year of 1943.

GENERAL RELIEF

The amount expended for General Relief during 1943 shows considerable reduction from the amount expended in 1942. This follows the trend of the past few years. We hope that this will continue during 1944.

There are at the present time no employable males on the General Relief rolls. High and steady employment are no doubt the reason for this factor.

As the cost of living has risen adjustments in Recipient's budgets have been made.

The distribution of all Surplus Commodities ceased after July 1, 1943.

SALARIES OF BOARD

Appropriation		$ 550.00
Expended		
Helen M. Randall	$ 110.00	
M. Leo Conway	110.00	
Harold C. Robinson	110.00	
Peter Y. Myhre	110.00	
Herbert D. Anderson	110.00	
		$ 550.00
Balance to Revenue		none

GENERAL RELIEF

Administration — Salaries

Appropriation		$ 3,844.87
Expended		
Etta C. Stoddard	$ 1,320.00	
Mary E. McKenna	393.06	
Dennis P. Hogan	1,627.27	
		$ 3,340.33
Balance to Revenue		$ 504.54

Administration — Other Expenses

Appropriation		$ 700.00
Expended		
Office Expense	$ 401.67	
Auto Expense	241.50	
		$ 643.17
Balance to Revenue		$ 56.83

Dependent Aid

Appropriation		$ 24,110.00
Expended	$ 13,728.80	
Less—Refunds	215.05	
		$ 13,513.75
Balance to Revenue		$ 10,596.25

Analyses of Expenditures

Groceries	$ 1,882.81
Cash Aid	3,460.76
Rents	913.00
Board	3,063.00
Fuel	498.14
Medical Care	653.16
Hospitalization	1,885.15
Burials	none
Relief by Other Cities — Towns	888.16
Shoes & Clothing	153.28
Surplus Commodities	
Rent	60.00
Coal	21.55
Paper bags	11.90
Telephone	7.80
All Other	
Gas and Light	104.01
Ice for cooler	31.05
Stove grates and linings	32.50
Convert Oil to Coal	30.50
Power	12.79
Office locks	6.14
Water rates	8.40
Sundries	4.70
Gross Expenditures	$ 13,728.80
Less—Refunds	215.05
Net Expenditures	$ 13,513.75

UNPAID BILLS FOR PRIOR YEARS

Unpaid Bills for Year 1939	$ 455.96
Unpaid Bills for Year 1940	502.20
Unpaid Bills for Year 1942	141.33
Total	$ 1,099.49

CASE LOAD

Year	No of Cases	Persons Represented	Avg. cases Per Month	Total Expenses	Avg. cost Per case
1938	1617	5709	134.57	$69,028.96	$42.69
1939	1267	4400	105.57	48,062.01	38.00
1940	1220	3892	101.62	42,119.38	34.52
1941	834	2172	69.50	30,862.35	37.00
1942	601	1390	50	24,039.62	40.00
1943	388	693	33.33	13,513.75	34.83

RESIDENT CASE LOAD BY MONTHS

Month	Families	Persons Represented	Single	Total Cases	Total Persons Represented
Jan.	17	67	11	28	78
Feb.	14	52	11	25	63
Mar.	11	36	11	22	47
Apr.	12	38	11	22	49
May	11	34	13	24	47
June	10	30	15	25	45
July	13	42	12	25	54
Aug.	10	32	11	21	43
Sept.	8	27	11	19	38
Oct.	8	27	10	18	37
Nov.	7	20	9	16	29
Dec.	9	30	10	19	40
Total	130	435	135	265	570

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS and EXPENDITURES FOR 1942 — 1943

	Appro.	Spent	Balance	Appro.	Spent	Balance
Salaries of Board	$ 500.00	$ 500.00	$ none	$ 550.00	$ 550.00	$ none

Administration						
Salaries	3,598.33	3,562.63	35.70	3,844.87	3,340.33	504.54
Other Expense	700.00	661.47	38.53	700.00	643.17	56.83
Recipient Expense	31,500.00	24,039.62	7,460.38	24,110.00	13,513.75	10,596.25
Total	$ 36,298.33	$ 28,763.72	$ 7,534.61	$ 29,204.87	$ 18,047.25	$ 11,157.62

The Department has been unable to assign help to the various Town Departments, as in the past, to work out food orders, due to the fact, that during the past year, we have had no able-bodied male recipients on relief rolls.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

In Aid to Dependent Children cases, the Federal Government has made a grant in each case of 50% of the assistance rendered for each child under sixteen years of age, or eighteen years of age if regularly attending school, with the maximum amount shared in being $18 for the first child and $12 for each subsequent child.

The question of legal settlement does not apply in this form of aid.

This form of relief is based entirely upon budget submitted by the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth to be used in ascertaining the proper budget for each family aided.

We have attempted in all cases to keep the budgets of our recipients in line with the figures submitted by the State Department of Public Welfare.

The reason for the smaller number of cases in 1943 to those in previous years is due to the continued high level of employment and the subsequent ability of children of recipients to assist in support.

The resources of Aid to Dependent Children have been as follows:

ADMINISTRATION — SALARIES

Town Funds

Appropriation		$300.00
Expended:		
Etta C. Stoddard	$118.50	
Mary E. McKenna	66.00	
Dennis P. Hogan	115.50	
		$300.00
Balance to Revenue		none

ADMINISTRATION — OTHER EXPENSE

Town Funds

Appropriation		$100.00
Expended:		
Office Exxpense	$73.00	
Auto Expense	27.00	
		$100.00
Balance to Revenue		none

ADMINISTRATION — U. S. GRANTS

Jan. 1—Cash on hand		$ 222.11
Federal Grants received in 1943		1,207.23
Total Cash available for use		$1,429.34
Expended:		
Etta C. Stoddard—Salary	$283.00	
Mary E. McKenna—Salary	32.27	
Dennis P. Hogan—Salary	329.81	
Office Expense	29.25	
Auto Expense	29.41	
		$703.74
Dec. 31—Cash on Hand available for use in 1944		$725.60

RECIPIENT EXPENSE

Town Funds

Appropriation		$10,000.00
Expended:		
Payroll	$9,465.12	
Medical Care	488.28	
Hospitalization	138.87	
	$10,092.27	
Less		
Refund	92.27	
		$10,000.00
Balance to Revenue		none

RECIPIENT EXPENSE

U. S. Grants

Jan. 1—Cash on Hand	$3,297.48
Federal Grants received in 1943	4,289.85
Total Cash available for use	7,587.33

Expended:		
Payroll	$4,601.45	
Medical Care	117.60	
Hospitalization	30.00	
		$4,749.05
Dec. 31—Cash on hand available for use in 1944		$2,856.78

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Case Load and Monthly Expenses for Year 1943

Month	Cases of Month	First Children	New Cases	Re-opened	Closed Cases	Cases of Month	End Children	Gross Expense
Jan.	24	67	1	0	3	22	60	$1,328.99
Feb.	22	60	1	0	1	22	61	1,423.40
Mar.	22	61	0	0	0	22	61	1,375.57
Apr.	22	61	0	0	1	21	56	1,283.96
May	21	56	0	0	3	18	44	1,138.85
June	18	44	0	0	0	18	43	1,123.69
July	18	43	1	2	0	21	47	1,290.20
Aug.	21	47	0	0	3	18	42	1,132.47
Sept.	18	42	1	0	0	19	45	1,103.94
Oct.	19	45	0	0	2	17	42	1,160.83
Nov.	17	42	0	0	0	17	42	1,187.38
Dec.	17	42	1	0	0	18	46	1,242.14
Totals	239	610	5	2	13	233	589	$14,791.42

CASE LOAD
and
ANALYSES OF FEDERAL, STATE, TOWN SHARE DURING PAST SIX YEARS

Year	Cases	Children Represented	Total Expense	Federal Share	State Share	Town Share
1938	255	773	$16,155.46	$3,543.84	$5,382.92	$7,228.70
1939	295	826	15,704.50	3,655.95	5,237.83	6,810.72
1940	321	897	16,215.15	5,865.62	5,405.05	4,944.48
1941	364	1,096	18,666.80	6,681.25	6,222.26	5,763.29
1942	314	894	17,393.88	5,653.27	5,797.94	5,943.67
1943	242	613	14,791.42	4,084.04	4,930.04	5,776.92

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Average Cost Per Case

to

Federal, State and Town During Past Six Years

Year	Cases	Expenses	Avg. Cost Per Case	Avg. Cost Per Case to Federal	Avg. Cost Per Case to State	Avg. Cost Per Case to Town
1938	255	$16,155.46	$63.36	$13.90	$21.11	$28.34
1939	295	15,704.50	53.24	12.40	17.74	23.10
1940	321	16,215.15	50.51	18.27	16.84	15.40
1941	364	18,666.80	51.28	18.35	17.10	15.83
1942	314	17,393.88	55.40	18.00	18.47	18.93
1943	242	14,791.42	61.12	16.87	20.37	23.88

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

and

EXPENDITURES FOR 1942 and 1943

	1942			1943		
Town Funds	Appro.	Spent	Balance	Appro.	Spent	Balance
Administration						
Salaries	$ 275.00	$ 275.00	none	$ 300.00	$ 300.00	none
Other Expense	100.00	100.00	none	100.00	100.00	none
Recipients	14,000.00	14,000.00	none	10,000.00	10,000.00	none
Federal Funds						
Administration	875.35	653.24	222.11	1,429.34	703.74	$ 725.60
Recipients	6,690.11	3,392.63	3,297.48	7,587.33	4,749.05	2,856.78
Totals	$21,940.46	$18,420.87	$3,519.59	$19,416.67	$15,852.79	$3,582.38

TOWN INFIRMARY

The conduct and cost of the Town Infirmary is one of the incumbent affairs imposed upon the Board of Public Welfare. Here are gathered dependents not otherwise provided for. We consider the Infirmary well managed, and conservatively operated.

There is a slight decrease in the net per capita cost this year for which we feel grateful.

We have installed storm windows on thirty-eight (38) of the most exposed windows, and hope this will effect a saving in the fuel account.

Mr. Jeremiah J. Peck, Supt., returned to duty at the Infirmary on September 16, 1943, having been honorably discharged from the United States Marine Corps.

Fresh vegetables raised in the Infirmary property were used at the Infirmary and also given to Welfare recipients.

ADMINISTRATION — SALARIES

Appropriation		$ 2,310.00
Expended		
Jeremiah J. Peck	$ 321.75	
James F. McKeon	495.00	
Mrs. Lena G. Peck	858.00	
Anna Miezwa	594.00	
		$ 2,268.75
Balance to Revenue		$ 41.25

Other Expense

Appropriation		$ 5,900.00
Expended	$ 5,486.47	
Less—Refunds	12.38	
		$ 5,474.09
Balance to Revenue		$ 425.91

Analyses of Expenditures

Groceries	$ 2,270.08
Fuel	688.47
Shoes and Clothing	266.89
Care of Buildings	629.00
Gas and Light	204.76
Truck Expense	90.82
Gasoline	49.72
Household Supplies	222.81
Medical Care	181.55
All Other	
Tobacco	117.12
Telephone	73.76
Oil Burner	21.00
Water Rates	172.00
Horse Hire	7.00
Burials	none
Barbering	82.85
Seeds and Fertilizer	217.35
Plowing	98.00
Stationery	46.01
Daily Papers	23.98
Transportation	17.85
Sundries	5.45
Gross Expenditures	$ 5,486.47
Less—Refunds	12.38
Net Expenditures	$ 5,474.09

Operating Cost for Year 1943

Administration			
Superintendent's Salary			$ 816.75
Matron's Salary			858.00
Cook's Salary			594.00
			$ 2,268.75
Other Expenses		$ 5,486.47	
Less—Refunds		12.38	
			$ 5,474.09
Total Expenditures			$ 7,742.84
Less—Accounts Receivable			
Com. of Mass.		$ 661.50	
Invty. 12-31-43	$ 633.00		
12-31-42	341.00	$ 292.00	
			$ 953.50
Net Cost to Town			$ 6,789.34
Avg. cost based on 4914 man days			
Avg. Gross Cost per week		$ 11.00	
Avg. Net Cost per week		$ 9.56	

CASE LOAD

Number of Inmate Man Days Per Month for 1943

Month	Inmates	Man Days
Jan.	18	511
Feb.	22	446
Mar.	15	371
Apr.	14	381
May	16	467
June	16	446
July	13	396
Aug.	13	402
Sept.	14	405
Oct.	12	372
Nov.	12	360
Dec.	12	357
Total	177	4914

COMPARATIVE OPERATING COST FOR PAST SIX YEARS

Year	Gross Expense	Receipts	Net Expense	No. of Inmates	Gross Cost Per Week	Net Cost Per Week
1938	$ 8,818.38	$ 1,161.66	$ 7,656.72	293	$ 7.52	$ 6.52
1939	9,686.86	1,802.62	7,884.24	249	9.72	7.91
1940	8,525.77	1,728.18	6,797.59	256	8.32	6.64
1941	8,504.95	616.65	7,888.30	191	11.13	10.32
1942	7,761.31	502.10	7,259.21	172	11.27	10.43
1943	7,742.84	953.50	6,789.34	177	11.00	9.56

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS and EXPENDITURES FOR 1942 AND 1943

	1942			1943		
	Appro.	Spent	Balance	Appro.	Spent	Balance
Administration						
Salaries	$2,100.00	$2,100.00	none	$2,310.00	$2,268.75	$ 41.25
Other Expense	6,000.00	5,661.31	$ 338.69	5,900.00	5,474.09	425.91
Totals	$8,100.00	$7,761.31	$ 338.69	$8,210.00	$7,742.84	$ 467.16

VEGETABLES RAISED AT TOWN FARM

The amount of vegetables raised on the Infirmary property and consumed at the Infirmary during the year amounted to the following:

Vegetables consumed		$ 201.00
Vegetables on hand 12-31-43		310.00
		$ 511.00
Cost of vegetables raised		
Seeds and Fertilizer	$ 217.35	
Plowing	98.00	
		$ 315.35
Net profit on vegetables raised		$ 195.65

WILLARD DONNELL TRUST FUND

To the Wakefield Trust Company, a Massachusetts Corporation, having its place of business in said Wakefield, Ten Thousand Dollars, in trust, to hold, invest and reinvest the same at its discretion, and to pay over the net income thereof to the Town of Wakefield for the use of the Public Welfare Board of said Town to be expended by said Board, in its discretion, for the benefit of the poor and needy in the Town of Wakefield, and

especially for the payment of hospital charges for such of the inhabitants of the Town of Wakefield as are themselves financially unable to pay such hospital charges. This Trust shall continue for a term of nineteen years, and at the expiration of that term, I direct said Trustee to transfer and pay over the said trust estate with all accumulations thereon to said Town of Wakefield, to be held by said Town and the income only to be used for the benefit of such of its inhabitants as are in need of hospital care.

Receipts

Jan. 1—Cash on hand	$ 690.24
Receipts during the year	271.21
	$ 961.45

Disbursements

Hospitalization	$ 251.45	
Medical care	8.00	
Fuel	14.79	
	$ 274.24	
Less—Refund	45.00	
		$ 229.24
Dec. 31—Cash on hand		$ 732.21

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Application for Old Age Assistance can be made by citizens 65 years or older, whose financial circumstances are such that they require assistance.

May we remind you that Old Age Assistance is not an Old Age Pension.

The local Bureau has the duty of determining eligibility and is subject to State and Federal regulations.

The law still requires children to support their parents provided they are able to do so. A careful check is made to determine their ability to assist in full or in part.

The total expense of this division would be extremely heavy without both State and Federal reimbursement.

Effective, September 8, 1943, the State legislature enacted legislation which further liberalize Old Age Assistance laws. This latest Act also sets forth the percentage of income to be contributed by the children of recipients.

The resources of this Bureau are as follows:

Receipts

Town appropriation	$ 69,000.00
Federal Funds on hand 1-1-43	5,331.78
Federal Grants received during 1943	53,151.28
Total Resources	$127,483.06

Expenditures

Town Appropriation			
Recipients' Payroll		$ 69,000.00	
Federal Funds			
Recipients' Payroll	$ 54,470.74		
Less—Refunds	2,074.83		
		$ 52,395.91	
Other Cities — Towns		$ 1,063.95	
			$122,459.86
Dec. 31—Federal Funds on hand available for use in 1944			$ 5,023.20

MONTHLY CASE LOAD AND EXPENSES FOR 1943

Month	Cases First of Month	New Cases	Closed Cases	Cases End of Month	Gross Expenses
Jan.	294	2	12	284	$ 10,555.01
Feb.	284	5	5	284	10,491.60
Mar.	284	3	8	279	10,624.57
Apr.	279	4	14	269	10,053.41
May	269	3	7	265	9,759.08
June	265	3	9	259	9,412.63
July	259	10	4	265	9,528.47
Aug.	265	1	1	265	9,361.05
Sept.	265	4	9	260	11,022.30
Oct.	260	4	5	259	10,962.02
Nov.	259	11	10	260	10,625.95
Dec.	260	3	10	253	10,857.65
					$123,301.74
Charge to State					169.00
					$123,470.74
Add—Other Cities and Towns					1,063.95
Gross Expenditures					$124,534.69
Less—Refunds					2,074.83
Net Expenditures					$122,459.86

Jan. 1, 1943—Active Cases	294
New Cases opened during year	53
Total Cases aided	347
Cases closed during year	94
Dec. 31, 1943—Avtive cases	253
Avg. case load per month	275

YEARLY REPORT OF APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED, CASES CLOSED AND ACTIVE CASES AT THE END OF YEAR FOR PAST FIVE YEARS

Year	New Cases	Closed Cases	Active Cases
1939	80	59	286
1940	75	52	309
1941	65	62	312
1942	57	75	294
1943	53	94	253

FEDERAL, STATE, TOWN SHARE OF EXPENDITURES PAST FOUR YEARS

Year	Gross Expenses	Federal Share	State Share	Town Share
1940	$103,280.73	$49,170.73	$36,073.34	$18,036.66
1941	114,355.85	52,077.36	41,519.00	20,759.49
1942	125,183.12	54,634.59	47,046.74	19,101.79
1943	123,470.74	53,151.28	46,879.64	23,439.82

ADMINISTRATION

Receipts

Town Appropriation		$1,470.00
Jan. 1—Federal Funds on Hand	$ 310.70	
Federal Funds Received 1943	1,771.60	
		2,082.30
Total Resources		$3,553.20

Expenditures

	Town Funds	Federal Funds	Total	
Salaries	$1,186.27	$1,409.57	$2,595.84	
Auto	100.00	140.00	240.00	
Stationery	89.15	122.27	211.42	
Postage	49.28	188.43	237.71	
Telephone	45.30	62.32	107.62	
Sundries		29.85	29.85	
Totals	$1,470.00	$1,952.44	$3,422.44	$3,422.44
Dec. 31—Cash on hand and available for use in 1944				$129.86

We wish to express our appreciation to all individuals and organizations who made donations of any kind during the past year.

HAROLD C. ROBINSON, Chairman
HERBERT D. ANDERSON, Secretary
HELEN M. RANDALL
M. LEO CONWAY
PETER Y. MYHRE

Report of Town Treasurer

To the Citizens of Wakefield:

I herewith present my report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1943:

TRUST FUNDS

The Trust Funds and available income balances now in my hands are as follows:

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Cornelius Sweetser Lecture Fund	$10,000.00	
C. Sweetser Guarantee Fund	2,983.98	
John Gould Aborn Library Fund	1,689.26	
Cyrus G. Beebe Library Fund	2,000.00	
Frederic Beebe Library Fund	1,000.00	
Robert Parker Dolbeare Library Fund	500.00	
Willard Donnell Library Fund	500.00	
Milledge Elliott Library Fund	1,000.00	
Rev. Thomas Albert Emerson Library Fund	500.00	
Flint Memorial Library Fund	1,000.00	
Merrill W. Gove Library Fund	500.00	
Melvin J. Hill Library Fund	500.00	
Dr. Francis P. Hurd Library Fund	2,500.00	
Franklin Poole Library Fund	500.00	
Mary H. Pratt Library Fund	200.00	
Ashton H. Thayer Library Fund	500.00	
Cyrus Wakefield Library Fund	500.00	
Gad and Clarissa Chandler Carter Burial Lot Fund	200.00	$ 4.14
Adams Coburn Burial Lot Fund	100.00	2.59
Ezra Eaton Burial Lot Fund	100.00	1.60
Rev. Thomas A. Emerson Old Cemetery Fund	1,000.00	20.88
Flint Old Burial Ground Fund	2,000.00	41.33
Levi Flanders Burial Lot Fund	100.00	2.05
Dr. John Hart Burial Lot Fund	200.00	5.34
Harry E. Haskell Burial Lot Fund	100.00	2.59
Oliver Burial Lot Fund	50.00	1.29
Stimpson Family Burial Lot Fund	200.00	4.30
Clarssa E. Swain Burial Lot Fund	500.00	10.23
Elizabeth Stout Burial Lot Fund	300.00	7.73
C. Sweetser Burial Lot Fund	1,000.00	20.46
John Sweetser Old Cemetery Fund	200.00	5.46
Rev. Horace Eaton Burial Lot Fund	25.00	1.28
Jane K. Vinton Burial Lot Fund	50.00	2.45

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
James and Elizabeth Walton Burial Lot Fund	100.00	2.05
Mary E. Aborn Park Fund	2,000.00	
Sarah E. Bryant Park Fund	2,000.00	112.51
Nancy White Park Fund	1,000.00	
Rev. Thomas A. Emerson High School Fund	1,000.00	756.18
Nancy White Hurd School Fund	500.00	19.93
Jonathan Nichols Temperance Fund	1,000.00	515.06
Annie L. Cox Scholarship Fund for Italian Students	5,000.00	259.90
Annie L. Cox Prize for Advancement in Design Fund	100.00	28.66
Mary Lizzie Smith Fund for care of Old Cannon on Common	100.00	25.41
The income from the following funds is for care of lots in Forest Glade Cemetery:		
Margaret Alexander Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Salvatore Alleca Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Tazewell B. Amiss Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Randall Anderson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George O. Antunes Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Georgenna Bailey Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Bertha M. Baker Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Frank H. Baker & George O. Morrill Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mary Barnard Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Anne F. Barry Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Helen L. Bassill Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles F. Beecher Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Sarah W. Bent Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mary Bernard Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
John and Elmer Beyea Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Nelson Bishop Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Nellie E. Black Perp. Care Fund	100.00	
George E. Blair Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Isiah Blake Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Richard Bolton Jr. Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Rose Bonito Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Leo Bourdon Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Helen Bowen Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
John P. Brewer Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Gray B. Brockbank Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Thomas J. Brogan Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
William Broussand Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
William Broussand Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mrs. Evelyn Brown Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
George A. Brown Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Johanna Buckman Perp. Care Fund	50.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Sarah Burbank Perp. Care Fund	100.00	
Sylvester Burditt Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
William H. Burnham Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
E. E. Burns Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
James J. Burns Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Gertrude M. Butler Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Gertrude E. Butler Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Clara M. Cadogan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Edith A. Cahoon Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Edith A. Cahoon Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Susie Callahan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Percy H. Callbeck Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Howard Cameron Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James Cameron Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Harvey D. Cann Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Paul Caracoglia Perp. Care Fuod	50.00	
Pasquale Carosele Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Frederick B. Card Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Est. Chas. C. Carroll Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Salvatore Cavalier Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Susie A. Champagne Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Eliza J. Church Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Michael Cieri Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
John L. Clark Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John E. Classen Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Ernest E. Climenson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Arletta M. Clough Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
John F. Coakley Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Alice Coffey Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Antonio Colannino Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George H. Collins Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Humphrey Collins Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Gertrude E. Colson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Alfonso Confalone Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Mary Cook Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary C. Cooper Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles A. Copeland Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
James Costules Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
George Costulis Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Daniel Cotreau Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Mrs. John Cotter Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
John J. Cotter Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
William Cotter Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Patrick Cowhey Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Frank A. Crowe Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Horace Crowell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Franklin M. Cummings Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary E. Cummings Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Hazel R. Cunningham Perp. Care Fund	60.00	
J. Walter Curley Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Rev. John M. Currie Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Jane Curtis Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Anna Cusato Perp. Care Fund	45.00	
Ralph Custa Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Helga S. Dahlquist Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Harry Dalton Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Carmine D'Ambrosio Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Raleigh B. Daniels Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Angelo DeFeo Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Harry H. Denning Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mary Derby Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Peter Dididin Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Nicholas DiDonatis Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Nancy DiDonato Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Patrick Dinan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Joseph Arthur Dingle Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
D. J. Doherty Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
George L. Doherty Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mrs. Rose Donahue Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Alice Donaldson Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Genevieve Donaldson Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Henry M. Donegan Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Abbe J. Doucette Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Emma Doucette Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Fannie Doucette Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Frank Doucette Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Georgianna Doucette Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Gladys Doucette Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Grace E. Doucette Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Jeremiah Doucette Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Jerome Doucette Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Maud Doucette Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Ruth E. Doucette Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James Doyle Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Anna Drinkwater Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Delia Dunlea Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Albert Dulong Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Grace M. Eaton Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles L. Eekhoff Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Katherine Eldredge Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Charles Evangelista Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John Evans Perp. Care Fund	10.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Elliott C. and Carolyn Farwell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Annie E. Fawcett Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mildred Fay Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
William H. Fayle Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
James Fitzpatrick Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Ralph S. Flannigan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Daniel Flynn Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Elizabeth Foley Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Gertrude K. Forrest Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Benjamin D. Foss Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
William D. Fox Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Peter Froten Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Helen Gallant Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Margaret Galvin Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Jane A. Gaston Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Katherine Gates Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Annie E. Geary Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Joseph Gelsomini Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Charles T. George Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Eleanor M. Gerrior Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Fred Ghibellini Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Victor Ghibellini Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Arthur M. Gibbons Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mary J. Giles Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Catherine F. Goggins Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary C. Gould Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Lewis P. Gove Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James M. Gray Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Delia Greene Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Edward H. Green Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Edward H. Green Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Edward H. Green Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Patrick Grimes Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Floyd E. and Edith F. Grove Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Daniel Guitard Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Annie Haladay Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Alice R. Halloran Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Soren Halvorson Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Mary Harwood Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Percy Hatfield Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Margaret Hawkes Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Albert C. Hayden Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mary M. Hayes Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Michael Hennessey Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
William J. Henry Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Arthur S. Hill Perp. Care Fund	50.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
James H. Hillsgrove Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Henrietta Hollander Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Eber Holmes Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Henry J. Holmes Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Lawton G. Holmes Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Sigmund Homicz Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Ella R. Howe Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Carl H. Hoyt Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Catherine Hyatt Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Mabel A. Hynes Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
George J. Ingalls Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Edmund R. Inglis Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James J. Jack Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Philip P. Jack Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Andrew Jeffrey Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George M. Kelley Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Michael J. Kelly Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Nora Keohan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Arthur Kierstead Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles E. Kimball Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Charles J. Klapes Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Mary Knight Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Michael Koszalka Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Walter Kurowski Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Walter Kurowski Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Gabryel Kursnierz Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Edmund LaBlanc Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Henry J. Lamker Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John A. Landry Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George C. Lane Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Margaret H. Lane Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Daniel J. Lawlor Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Anthony L. LeBlanc Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Emilie LeBlanc Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Lottie A. Lefave Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Regina LeFave Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
George Leonard Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
James A. Lilley Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Emil Lindahl Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Emile M. Lindahl Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Dolora N. Locasse Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Mary E. Lockhart Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Emelia Longo Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Elizabeth C. Loughlin Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Thomas P. Loughlin Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
William T. Louder Perp. Care Fund	30.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Camillo Luciani Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary Lynch Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Ellen Lyons Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John Maclaren Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Hazel A. MacLaughlin Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
P. J. McArdle Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Robert McArthur Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Laura McBay Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John McCarriston Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John McCarthy Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James P. McClue Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Owen McKenney Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles McLellan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Jonathan N. McMaster Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Joseph F. McNeil Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Helen McPherson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Francis J. McTague Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Harry J. McTague Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Frank J. Malonson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.01
William Malonson Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Henry J. and Winifred E. Manley Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.01
Mary Marinelli Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
John Maroney Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Frank P. Martin Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Masonic Lot Perp. Care Fund	100.00	
Louis Melanson Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary Melanson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Mary Melanson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Flora Melendy Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Mary Meloney Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.03
Roy Messenger Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Frank Meuse Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
John Meuse Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Grace E. Mew Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Hans Meyer Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.60
Charles J. Miggos Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mary C. Mirabito Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Margaret E. Mitchell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.02
Iva G. Mohla Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Celia Moore Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Frances Morris Perp. Care Fund	50.00	.19
P. W. Morrison-Louis P. Marche Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
Mary M. Morse Perp. Care Fund	75.00	1.52
Margaret Muise Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Herbert W. Murkland Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
Leander Muse Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.08

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Martha Muse Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
William E. Muse Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.22
Peter Y. Myhre Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Ella S. Nelson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Arthur E. Newcomb Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Percival Newcomb and Pearl Johnson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
William Nichols Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Catherine North Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Joseph Nutile Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John J. O'Brien Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Agnes O'Donnell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Margaret O'Donnell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	2.75
Michael O'Halloran Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Patrick O'Keefe Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Annie Oldfield Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Sophie O'Soro Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
E Walter Packard and Roland R. Packard Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Warren and George C. Page Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
James L. Palmer Perp. Care Fund	100.00	
Frances Palmerino Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mrs. Demetra Pappas Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
John T. Paro Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Dominic Pasquale Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Bessie Pastorgias Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Georgianna Patten Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Joseph Payro Perp. Care Fund	70.00	
Austin K. Perry Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
William H. Peters Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Ellen M. Phelan Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Alexander Pierni Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Mrs. Edith Pinkney Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Mary Pineau Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
James W. Pitman Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Florindo Pizzano Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Marion L. Pohl Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Joseph Puleo Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Thomas P. Powers Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
L. L. Prescott Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Charles J. Price Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Ernest Price Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Mary R. Puranen Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Samuel F. Ramey Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Linwood L. Ramsdell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Louis Ranelli Perp. Care Fund	20.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Rose Rathe Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
John Reid and Alice VanArman Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.00
Nettie B. Renz Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Sarah Richardson Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Chester Robbins Perp. Care Fund	45.00	.60
Jeffery Robbins Perp. Care Fund	75.00	1.53
Mary E. Robbins Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Carmine Roberto Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.03
James Roberto Perp. Care Fund	100.00	1.00
Michael Roberto Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.00
Francis C. Robie Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
Carrie A. Robinson Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
William E. Robinson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George G. Rogers Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Ida L. Rogers Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
James Rogers Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Francis B. Ross Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
John Roulston Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Grace S. Rowe Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.02
Carmella Rufo Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Clifford S. Russell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Harry F. Russell Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Marion Ryan Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Franzo Sampieri Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Joseph Sardella Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.60
Marie Sateriale Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.62
Mary A. Sauliner Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Asunta Sciulli Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Ellen Scott Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.10
Mrs. Mary G. Seabury Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Augusta Seifert Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
John Serrentino Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Serena Serrentino Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.08
Marietta Shea Perp. Care Fund	75.00	1.52
Clara Sheperson Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.24
S. Morton Sherman and Perry A. Davison Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.10
Maria Short Perp. Care Fund	25.00	.58
Alex Sielawa Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
James A. Simms Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Josephine Sliwa Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Ella Smith Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
George E. Smith Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Ida Smith Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Marjorie Smith Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Marshall Smith Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.40

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Urben J. Smith Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Urben J. Smith Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.10
John Souza Perp. Care Fund	25.00	.52
William Spreadbury Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.45
Lillian M. Stanley Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.00
Mary B. Staples Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Dorothy Stewart Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.28
Willard R. Stewart Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Raffaele Storti Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Charles Sullivan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Hannah Sullivan Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
John A. Surrette Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.21
Joseph O. Surrette Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.24
Josephine Surrette Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Charles Swanson Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.20
Anne Sweeney Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Anna Szabsda Perp. Care Fund	50.00	.75
Elizabeth Taggart Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.01
Mr. and Mrs. John Talbot Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Bernado Tecce Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
O. E. Thomas and Mrs. Myrtle Mortimer Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.08
James Thornton Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Kathryn Thurston Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.46
William Tonks Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.01
Albert W. Torrey Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
LaVina J. T. Towle Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.22
Est. of Katherine Trepsas Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Lewis Tucker Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Charles M. Tyler Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Abbie C. Underwood and Grace S. Richardson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
Joseph Vieria Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.21
Elizabeth Vasey Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.00
Isaac W. Vidito Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.60
Lillian V. Waite Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.22
Elizabeth Walsh Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.11
Michael J. Walsh Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
William J. Walsh Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Margaret Ward Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.05
Alice Warren Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.22
Albert C. and Edith Waterman Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.00
Arthur Weston Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.61
Edith M. Wheeler Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Katherine Whipling Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.60
Harry W. White Perp. Care Fund	100.00	2.11

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Lillian White Perp. Care Fund	20.00	.42
Sally White Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.22
Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. White Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.07
Richard Whittington Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.32
Richard Whittington Perp. Care Fund	10.00	.10
P. M. Wilkinson Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
Gertrude Willson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.30
Martha D. Wilson Perp. Care Fund	200.00	5.40
Stanislaw Wojtylo Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.62
Ernest B. Wright Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.60
Duncan A. Young Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.04
Percy Young Perp. Care Fund	50.00	1.06
Elizabeth M. Astle Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
William Blanchard Perp. Care Fund	120.00	
Edward J. Brophy Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Edith Buck Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Frank Caruso Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Marion Cook Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Harold H. and Dorothy A. Cotton Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
John Cotton Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Annie Cusato Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Esther DeVeau Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Everett Dinsmore Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Katherine Dulong Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Louis Evangelister Perp. Care Fund	120.00	
Peter J. Fillis Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Mary M. Grady Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Irving A. Hadley Perp. Care Fund	75.00	
Joseph B. Hatch Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Mae S. Hemsworth Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Jennie M. Hopkins Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Catherine M. Hourihan Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Julia Huestis Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Mae Ingalls Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Evan E. Keane Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Charles Laskey Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
G. Earl MacIntosh Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Albert MacWhinnie Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
S. J. Malonson Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
A. C. Morrill Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Harry Mortimer Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Louis J. Muise Perp. Care Fund	20.00	
Frances Muse Perp. Care Fund	10.00	
Michael M. Neary Perp. Care Fund	25.00	
John L. Neiss Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Jacob Nicol Perp. Care Fund	15.00	

	Principal of Fund	Income Available
Warren E. North Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
John O'Connor Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
George W. Phelps Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Filomena Radocchio Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
James Roberto Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Francis Sheehy Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.13
Ethel E. Sibley Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.20
Cora A. Smith Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Florence Smith Perp. Care Fund	60.00	
Jennie M. Smith Perp. Care Fund	30.00	
Joseph Snay Perp. Care Fund	15.00	.13
Anthony N. Stamegna Perp. Care Fund	80.00	
Frank S. Stamegna Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Soccorso M. Storti Perp. Care Fund	120.00	
Anna Surrette Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Annie E. Surrette Perp. Care Fund	40.00	
Mary Thomson Perp. Care Fund	30.00	.20
Maurice F. and Agnes T. Walsh Perp. Care Fund	50.00	
Charles W. Wilson Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Louis H. Young Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
Louis H. Young Perp. Care Fund	15.00	
	$62,628.24	$1,942.66

The above trust funds are invested as follows:

Malden Savings Bank	$ 8,000.00
Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank	5,562.21
Blackstone Savings Bank	601.60
Melrose Savings Bank	2,500.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	5,956.59
Wakefield Savings Bank	41,950.50
	$64,570.90

INVESTMENT FUNDS

United States War Bonds 2½% Series G $30,000.00

LOAN ACCOUNT

The following sums were borrowed on Temporary Notes in anticipation of revenue during the year:

$200,000.00 at .40 per cent discount

$200,000.00 at .38 per cent discount plus $2.00 premium

Of this amount $200,000.00 has been paid leaving a balance due in 1944 of $200,000.00 in anticipation of revenue.

The following sums were borrowed on Temporary Notes in anticipation of Highway Reimbursement, Chap. 90:

$2,000.00 at one per cent discount.

PERMANENT DEBT

Permanent Debt January 1, 1943	$294,000.00
Paid during 1943	63,000.00
	$231,000.00

The permanent debt has decreased $63,000.00 during the past year.

MATURITIES OF TOWN DEBT

Maturing 1944	$47,500.00
1945	39,500.00
1946	35,500.00
1947	35,500.00
1948	20,000.00
1949	20,000.00
1950	17,000.00
1951	6,000.00
1952	5,000.00
1953	3,000.00
1954	2,000.00
	$231,000.00

The debt is chargeable to the following:

Water Department	$151,000.00
Light Department	4,000.00
Sewer Department	68,000.00
Streets	8,000.00
	$231,000.00

CASH ACCOUNT

Dr.	John I. Preston, Treasurer
To Balance from last report, cash	$463,271.78
Borrowed on Temporary Notes	400,000.00
Premium on Notes	2.00
Board of Appeals Receipts	50.00
Building Inspector's Receipts	245.90
Cemetery Receipts:	
Sale of Lots	2,162.00
Perpetual Care	2,663.00
Miscellaneous	1,635.00

Collector of Taxes Receipts:	
Advertising Costs	43.81
Committed Interest	3,626.24
Costs	1,417.07
Excise Tax	22,838.98
Moth Assessments	1,264.88
Sidewalks	8,512.28
Tax Certifications	97.00
Taxes and Interest	676,542.49
Overpayment	270.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:	
Public Works—Division of Highways	978.40
Meal Tax	2,242.69
Income Tax	76,490.70
Support of Indigent Persons	25.00
Corporation Tax	38,375.06
Old Age Assistance	53,446.73
Contagious Diseases	344.75
Department of Health—Subsidies Cities and Towns	1,732.85
State Aid	1,205.00
Military Aid	427.50
War Allowances	1,055.00
Burials	100.00
Vocational Education	1,067.11
Temporary Aid and Transportation	1,773.52
Tuition of Children	9.35
Court Fines	901.45
Federal Tax Deductions	35,168.35
Fire Department Receipts	71.13
Health Department Receipts	395.50
Highway Department Receipts	239.49
Interest on Post War Funds	500.00
Insurance on Highway Damage	36.00
Insurance on Warren School Fire	120.00
Insurance on Water Department Fire	200.00
Library Receipts	1,076.42
Moth Department Receipts	3.50
Middlesex County:	
Division of Highways	978.40
Dog Tax	1,766.64
Dog Vaccine	78.47
Municipal Light Department Receipts	390,289.14
Park Department Receipts	133.45
Police Department Receipts	478.45
Public Welfare Department Receipts	3,672.68
Town Infirmary	27.29

Old Age Assistance	2,124.14
Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Aiding Mothers	8,387.63
Redemption Tax Title Deeds	5,926.90
Redemption Tax Title Deeds Interest	830.31
Redemption Tax Title Deeds Releases	39.00
Refunds:	
Old Age Assistance	1,743.83
Old Age Assistance—Cash Advanced	25.00
State Aid	399.61
Welfare Department	843.76
Welfare Department—Cash Advanced	25.00
Infirmary	1.11
Highway Department	21.48
Police Department	21.75
Police Department—Cash Advanced	50.00
Soldiers' Relief	18.47
Military Aid	45.00
Boiler Insurance	6.94
Health Department—Cash Advanced	25.00
Lucius Beebe Memorial Library—Cash Advanced	50.00
School Department—Cash Advanced	50.00
Water Department—Cash Advanced	25.00
Sale of Notes:	
Anticipation of Highway Reimbursement	2,000.00
Salvage Committee—Tin Cans	100.44
School Department Receipts	13,368.01
Sealer of Weights and Measures	106.02
Selectmen's Receipts:	
Licenses	4,530.00
Lafayette Hall Rental	227.00
Town Hall Rental	87.50
Miscellaneous	164.58
Sewer Department Receipts	7,525.08
Sewer Department Connections Deposit	1,905.61
Sewer Department Maintenance Receipt	4.92
Town Clerk's Receipts	3,587.55
Trust Funds Receipts	1,920.91
United States Grant—Aid to Dependent Children	4,720.23
United States Grant—Aid to Dependent Children Administration	605.62
United States Grant—Old Age Assistance	53,299.02
United States Grant—Old Age Administration	1,623.86
Wakefield Trust Company:	
Income of Willard Donnell Trust for use of the Welfare Department	271.21

For the Lucius Beebe Memorial Library:	
Junius Beebe Trust	853.71
Decius Beebe Trust	470.07
Marcus Beebe Trust	505.25
Frederick Beebe Trust	122.61
Alice Beebe Carpenter Trust	311.70
Charles S. Beebe Trust	35.24
George O. Carpenter Trust	35.14
Sylenda B. Stearns Trust	58.70
Eleanor H. Beebe Trust	144.08
Katherine E. Beebe Trust	160.75
John H. Beebe Trust	76.56
Junius Oliver Beebe Trust	171.76
Water Department Receipts	87,114.34
Water Department Maintenance	332.08
W. P. A. Receipts	10.00
Checks 1937 and prior to be credited to Excess and Deficiency	375.11
	$2,407,537.04

In account with Town of Wakefield	Cr.
By cash paid, Discount on Temporary Notes	$ 1,188.07
cash paid, Selectmen's Warrants	1,753,957.75
cash paid, Offset State Credits	44,377.85
	$1,799,523.67
Cash in Treasury	608,013.37
	$2,407,537.04

TAX LIEN FORECLOSURES

During the year 1943, ten tax lien petitions were presented by the town to the Land Court for foreclosure and are still pending.

FINAL STATEMENT

During the year 1944, the following time loans will fall due and are to be included in the tax levy for 1944:

Extension of Sewer	$15,500.00	
Street	2,000.00	
		$17,500.00
Water Loans (included in Water Department appropriation)		27,000.00
Light Plant (paid from receipts of plant)		3,000.00
		$ 47,500.00

There will also be required the following amounts to meet the interest payments:

Extension of Sewer	$1,356.88	
Street	122.50	
Temporary Loans (estimated)	3,520.62	
		$5,000.00
Water Loans (included in Water Department appropriation)		2,601.25
Light Plant (paid from receipts of plant)		160.00
		$7,761.25

The borrowing capacity of the town on temporary notes in anticipation of 1943 revenue was $777,681.10 as determined by the State Director of Accounts. Of this amount, the town borrowed the sum of $400,000.00 and of this latter amount, $200,000.00 has been paid, leaving $200,000.00 to be paid in 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN I. PRESTON,
Treasurer

Report of School Committee

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

School Committee for 1943

Patrick H. Tenney, Chairman 14 Emerson Street	Term Expires 1946
Mrs. Eva Gowing Ripley, Secretary 20 Lafayette Street	Term Expires 1946
James A. Fox, Treasurer Fox Road	Term Expires 1944
Mrs. Mary Louise Tredinnick 129 Pleasant Street	Term Expires 1945
James M. Henderson 118 Prospect Street	Term Expires 1945
Paul A. Saunders 309 Albion Street	Term Expires 1944

SUB-COMMITTEES

The Committee as a whole acts as sub-committees, with the following chairmen:

Mrs. Tredinnick—Text Books and Supplies
Mrs. Ripley—Personnel
Mr. Henderson—Public Property
Mr. Fox—Finances and Accounts
Mr. Saunders—Courses of Study

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Willard B. Atwell, 94 West Chestnut Street

SECRETARY TO THE SUPERINTENDENT

Pauline E. Meads, 7 Park Avenue

SECRETARY

Doris Skinner, 9 Franklin Street

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT

The School Committee wishes to report that it is doing its very best to comply with the many changes and demands that have been caused by the present war situation.

We are continuing military drill which was restored in September, 1942.

We are maintaining courses in High School as suggested by the War Department to prepare our boys who are to enter the Armed Forces.

It has been extremely difficult to secure new teachers at our salary figures. We have found it necessary to make adjustments in salaries of teachers who have been in our educational system many years in order that we may retain competent teachers.

In view of recent legislation establishing a $1,200 salary minimum for teachers, we were obliged to make an adjustment in the salaries of four teachers.

We wish to thank the teachers and the entire personnel for their assistance in registration and rationing.

We also wish to thank the janitors for the countless hours they have worked because of the increased use of school buildings.

Many of our boys and girls are leaving school to enter the Armed Forces. To all seniors who were doing satisfactory work we have given diplomas.

Seven of our teachers have entered the Armed Forces. We have appointed substitutes for the duration.

The locker situation at the High School is far from being satisfactory, but under present conditions, it is practically impossible to make the desired changes. It is difficult to do any major repairs because of scarcity of labor and materials.

The school population in all elementary schools but one has increased. We found it necessary to discontinue the upper grade in the Woodville School and to transfer these pupils to other schools. This change may not be permanent.

Many changes are bound to come in the near future in the educational field especially in a rehabilitation program for the discharged service men. We are giving these changes our due consideration in order that we may be able properly to face these problems when they arise.

PATRICK H. TENNEY, Chairman
EVA G. RIPLEY (MRS. W. S.), Secretary
JAMES A. FOX, Treasurer
PAUL A. SAUNDERS
MARY LOUISE TREDINNICK (MRS. F. A.)
JAMES M. HENDERSON

IMPORTANT ACTIONS OF THE COMMITTEE

The following are some of the important actions taken by the School Committee during the past year:

Voted to set up a physical program on a broader scope to fit in with needs of the Armed Forces. William Piscione was appointed as an Assistant.

Granted permission to Beebe Memorial Library to use a room in the Montrose School for a Branch Library.

Voted to authorize the sale of typewriters to the United States Government.

Went on record as recommending a 10% salary increase not to exceed $200, for all employees of the School Department for the year of 1943. Subsequent to the annual Town Meeting voted to grant this increase.

Established a policy for the school year permitting seniors in the Commercial Department to leave school after April 1, to accept work in commercial establishments.

Voted to award to boys in the senior class who have joined the Armed Forces or shall join them before the end of the school year and shall have fulfilled the requirements for graduation their diplomas in June, 1943.

Granted permission to the Wakefield Chapter of the American Red Cross to use four rooms in the Lincoln School for an office and workrooms.

Granted use of the Montrose Playground to the Recreation Commission.

Voted to grant permission to local organizations to place Service Flags for various sections of the Town on school flagpoles.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT HONOR ROLL

On Leave of Absence

Homer M. Shellenberger	With the U. S. Navy
Robert D. King	With the U. S. Army
Lucian J. Colucci	With the U. S. Army
Francis W. Dinan	With the U. S. Navy
Joseph Cassano	With the U. S. Army
Margaret M. McGonagle	With the WACS
Alice M. Scipione	With the WACS
Charles B. Lally	With the U. S. Army

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Committee:

The following is the report of the Superintendent of Schools, together with excerpts from the reports of the principals and the supervisors of special subjects.

The schools have been doing a great deal to inculcate an appreciation of duties and responsibilities in young people. We have reorganized the work, particularly in the High School, to prepare the boys for their induction into the Armed Services.

HIGH SCHOOL

Several changes have been made in the content of some subjects in the High School curricula, and a course in Aeronautics has been given for the benefit of those who may want to join the Air Forces.

Courses in First Aid and Hygiene have been added as required subjects.

"The enrollment in the High School at the beginning of the school year was as follows:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Post Graduates		4	4
Seniors	74	117	191
Juniors	79	123	202
Sophomores	107	111	218
Freshmen	170	164	334
	430	519	949

This enrollment was 73 fewer than last year.

"From a survey of the Senior and Junior classes taken in October, we found that 80% of these pupils are working afternoons or evenings. In fact some of them are working too many hours after school to keep up in their school work. This afternoon work makes it impossible for them to get needed help from their teachers after school. Another factor that makes it difficult for the pupil, is the fact that in too many homes, both the father and mother are working and the children have to look out for themselves during the day. This is one reason for the greater number of absences we are now having in comparison with the number we had before the War.

"To help keep the boys physically fit and to help them when they join the Armed Forces, all seniors and juniors have gymnasium work three or four periods a week and one period of military drill. One period a week for all senior boys and girls is devoted to a course in First Aid. A course in Hygiene is given to all junior boys and girls.

"With the rationing of meats. fats and canned goods and with the shortage of milk and cream, it is a very difficult problem to get food enough for our cafeteria. We find that more pupils are patronizing the cafeteria now, evidently because it is hard for the parents to procure food for lunches. The limited space and equipment in which we serve lunches makes the operating of the lunchrooms unsatisfactory to everyone. The boys have no tables at which to eat lunches. They eat in the corridors by the workshop or in the gymnasium. The lunchroom is hardly large enough for the girls.

"Since so many pupils work in the afternoon, we find it extremely difficult to have our usual school clubs. This year all rehearsals for the senior class play were held in the evening instead of the afternoon. This condition has its effect on the number of boys who can take part in school sports.

"Last spring, eighty-one boys took the V-12 and A-12 examinations given by the Navy and Army in our High School and a good number passed them satisfactorily. In December, eleven boys took the V-5 Naval Aviation examinations in our school. Six boys passed them satisfactorily and will be allowed to remain in High School until June and graduate with their class.

"Of the boys who were graduated in the Class of 1943, sixty-one are already in the Armed Forces.

"Thirty graduates of the Class of 1943 were admitted to colleges in July or September."

TESTING

"Last September a testing program was inaugurated in the High School for all first year pupils. The Freshman Class was chosen, for the first high school year is the point in the educational progress of the pupil when he breaks away from the general training of the elementary schools to a more specific training of the High School.

"The results of the tests assist the teachers and administrators to make the education for the individual pupil more effective, particularly from the standpoint of emphasizing the individual's strong points by a more sensible placement of the individual into those areas of study in which he may more reasonably expect success. The test results also aid the teacher the earlier to discover the vital weak points of the pupil whereby the teacher may immediately embark upon a course of action that will effect the remediation of those defects which, if not corrected, might easily endanger the pupil's attempt for success in any field.

"The summary also gives the administrators an insight into the effectiveness of the educational training given in our elementary schools. The report of the results has certainly given us a vindication as a whole of that part of our school program. It tells us, in brief, that at no point of the nine tests administered are our elementary school pupils below the average of the country. In five of the nine tests, only twenty-five percent of all schools tested have done better; in three of the tests, but fifteen percent of all schools have scored higher; and in one test, only two and one half percent have bettered our mark.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

"The pupils on the whole are doing very well. There are evidences that they are much affected by the general war conditions. Adults are variously affected and children reflect conditions in their homes. There seems to be a tendency to restlessness, inattention and irritability. Failures and absences make much extra work for the teachers in upper grades especially. Teachers require that pupils should make up lost work.

"Increased registration in every First Grade, save one, is significant. In the Montrose School, for example, there are fifty-four pupils in grade I, an increase of 20 over the previous year. Home building in this section with a consequent larger population, accounts no doubt, for the increase in the registration mentioned. If there is further increase here, the time is not far distant, when the room now used as a Branch Library will be needed for school purposes. The Committee was pleased to grant this use, and desires its continuance as long as possible.

"The problem of the luncheon hour here remains difficult.

"The West Ward School was built in 1847 and while the accommodations in the two-room building are such as are found in many school buildings, camps and homes in the State, they are not such as might be expected in a community of the size of Wakefield. Home building is going on in this section also; and the question of a new building in this section will be a pertinent one in a few years.

"While the Hurd School has a comfortable registration, an appreciable increase would tax its capacity.

"Registration of First Grade pupils at the Lincoln School necessitated establishment of a second First Grade.

"The facts that First Grades in the Town register two hundred and ninety-four pupils at present against two hundred and four last year, and that the net increase in the total registration is seventeen, are significant as to problems in the near future."

RATIONING

Necessary rationing was done by the elementary teachers. In February, 16,610 ration books were issued and in October, 16,634 books were issued. Letters from the Rationing Board were received expressing appreciation of the work done by the teachers and by students in the Commercial Department. Letters were also received from the Draft Board thanking High School students for their efficient work for the Board.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

"The Department of Physical Education is definitely aware of the challenge that American democracy is facing in the present crisis. We are also cognizant of the virtues developed by active physical activity, sports and games. As a result of this challenge we have developed a dynamic program for Wakefield Schools.

"The general objectives of the program are to develop the health, physical fitness and morale of pupils of pre-military age.

"The following changes were established by the Director of Physical Education:

1. Integrated and progressive program from the first grade through the twelfth.

2. More careful supervision and check up of the work in physical education of the grade school classroom teacher.
3. Increased time allotment in the seventh and eighth grades from thirty minutes every two weeks to two thirty minute periods each week.
4. A careful study is made of the health and medical record of children below normal.
5. All Juniors and Seniors are given a complete medical examination.
6. One full time male instructor has been added to the staff. His primary duty is to give instruction in the seventh and eighth grades for boys. Also, to carry on the athletic program after school for these grades. He is also obligated to assist the Director in the High School program when necessary.
7. Increased time allotment in the High School from two periods a week to five, one of which is used for military drill. (Boys)
8. The Director of Physical Education initiated a course in Hygiene for all Juniors. This subject is taught for twenty weeks during the homeroom period.
9. Through the wholehearted financial support of the School Committee, the Director constructed a unique and permanent Commando Course. The work on this course was furnished by volunteer student labor. Wakefield now has the best obstacle course in Massachusetts.

"The curriculum of any department, to be scientific, must be based on needs, interest and capacity of each individual. A thorough medical examination is the foundation of a health and physical fitness program and becomes an important factor in determining the needs and capacity of the pupil. It is also a safety precaution in view of the vigorous nature of this program.

"Physical fitness implies endurance, stamina, speed, skill and agility. These objectives were the criteria used as the bases for selecting the important activities of this program from the seventh through the twelfth grades.

Program Activities:

1. Athletics, varsity and intramural, games and sports.
   A. Football, basketball, hockey, baseball and track.
   B. Touch football, speedball, volleyball, softball.
2. Conditioning exercises: victory drill, ranger drill, grass drill, free hand exercises and running.
3. Combatives: judo, wrestling and mass games.
4. Commando running.
5. An achievement and skill test is given three times a year.

Results: A decided improvement was indicated by objective tests, and the average gain was 45%.

"Physical education in peace and in war time forms an integral part of education. It pays for itself if just one boy's or one girl's life is saved.

It yields big returns in body, greater returns in mind and unsurpassable returns to the community. A community physically and mentally fit will be an enduring, democratic society."

MUSIC

"The Girls' Glee Club rehearsed from January to June during the home-room period on Wednesdays, thus insuring a steadier membership than after school rehearsals would allow. The membership was about forty girls.

"The Boys' Glee Club is feeling the pressure of after school jobs and the enlarged school program, and has suffered in size accordingly.

"More children each year are taking advantage of class lessons on orchestral instruments offered by teachers in cooperation with the school department.

"Harmony is a special subject in the High School curriculum and a very limited number of students study it. A knowledge of some musical instrument is necessary. It does give those pupils who would like to make a serious study of music for a hobby or a profession, a chance to learn the rudiments and mechanics of musical structure. The elementary and advanced classes meet together twice a week.

"The World of Music Series of singing books is being adopted in the grades. The listening program is advancing, three schools having bought new recording machines in the past year. The other schools hope to have good machines by the end of this school year. The next step is to build up record libraries in each school, instead of trying to carry records from school to school.

"Two elementary school orchestras—Warren and Greenwood—were organized in the latter part of the school year to provide group practice for those who were taking instrumental lessons. About six months are required to get the pupils to the stage where they can try ensemble playing. The Junior Band that rehearsed at the High School draws on players from all elementary schools and it performed very successfully at the spring concert. The separate school orchestras serve as a step to the Junior Band which in turn trains for the Senior Band and Orchestra.

"The 1942-1943 Band was one of the finest in the history of the High School. The instrumentation was balanced and the players experienced. The present band promises to be just as fine. The orchestra suffers from a dearth of string players but the enrollment in the string classes will take care of that lack by another year."

DRAWING

"In the primary grades, the work has included the study of color, the drawing of simple objects, illustration of stories and activities, construction work and lessons for the holiday seasons. The purpose of the work is to train the children how to express their ideas with crayons and scissors, and to teach them how to draw the objects they wish to represent in their illustrations.

"In the intermediate and upper grades, the work included nature drawing and painting, free-brush design, construction work with applied design, perspective drawing, the making of posters, the making of place cards and gifts for the holiday seasons. One special feature of the work this year has been the teaching of spatter work in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. It included sheets of nature work done with pressed specimens and white paint on colored paper. Also Thanksgiving and Christmas pictures were done in this manner. The seventh and eighth grades decorated stationery with spatter work motifs for Christmas gifts. The seventh grades made autograph albums and notebooks, using marbleized paper for the covers. The perspective work in the upper grades teaches the pupils to draw objects correctly in relation to one another. It is also a forerunner of the mechanical and freehand drawing taught in the High School. Picture study also has its place in the drawing outline, in order that the pupils may become acquainted with the great masters and their works."

ATTENDANCE

"The attendance problem has been difficult during the last year. The second year of the War made it possible for students sixteen years and over to obtain employment at wages far beyond those paid before. Likewise, students between fourteen and sixteen years of age were enabled to obtain employment after school hours at good wages. These two facts served to induce many of our boys and girls to leave school and forsake an education. It is difficult, indeed, to persuade one to continue in school in the face of such attractive temptations.

"Truancy and absenteeism still persist among the student body and, strangely enough, particularly among those who can least afford to remain away from school. Careless parents permit their children to absent themselves from school for trivial reasons. Working mothers are in some instances neglecting their children. The child is in bed when the parents leave for work in the morning and very often he fails to arise in time for school, and consequently, he either plays truant or shifts for himself for the remainder of the day. Children who are taken ill while in school cannot go home because both father and mother are employed. Some parents 'cover up' their children altogether too much. They ask their dismissal from school for their own convenience; forget the inconvenience caused the pupil and the school, and thereby sacrifice precious school time."

MAINTENANCE

"The shortage of help, increased costs and priorities covering building materials again prohibited the undertaking of so-called 'larger projects' during the year. The largest jobs undertaken were the redecoration of five classrooms in the High School and the installation of panel

ceilings in two classrooms on the first floor of the Hurd School and the completion of the interior painting in that building.

The sixty-seven fire extinguishers in the various school buildings were reconditioned. The stage curtains in the High, Greenwood, Montrose and Woodville Schools were flameproofed in accordance with requirements of the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety. All steam boilers were examined twice and approved by the Insurance Inspectors.

"The use of several school buildings by Scout organizations, Civilian Defense groups and by the Red Cross and its volunteer services has caused an increase in the cost of maintenance.

"A room in the Montrose School was made available for Beebe Memorial Library purposes. At the Lincoln School in September, another classroom was outfitted for the accommodation of first grade pupils.

"Clock and telephone rectifiers were installed at the Franklin School, replacing the wet cell batteries. Two radiators were installed in the first floor corridor of the Montrose School. The teachers' room at the Warren School had to be renovated after a fire caused some damage to the furniture and walls.

"The Light Department has again cooperated with our Department in several ways, for which we are grateful and which we publicly acknowledge."

SALE OF WAR STAMPS

The teachers have urged the purchase of War Stamps; and the response has been very gratifying. A total of $31,301.70 were bought through the schools. On special drives, fourteen "jeeps" were purchased.

Per Pupil Costs

The cost per pupil for instruction and maintenance, exclusive of general control, based on the average membership for the school year of 1942-1943 is as follows:

High School	$ 138.66	
Elementary Schools	87.46	
All Public Schools	105.58	
State	122.87	
Total expenditures for fiscal year, 1943		$ 304,933.45
Receipts for fiscal year, 1943		43,279.27
Net cost from local taxation		$ 261,654.18

Respectfully submitted,

WILLARD B. ATWELL,
Superintendent of Schools.

APPENDIX

A. Statistics of School Enrollment and Attendance.

B. Tabulation of Records of Attendance for School Year, 1942-1943.

C. School Organization—1943.

D. Cost of Public Day Schools.

E. How a School Dollar Is Spent.

F. Age and Grade Chart, January, 1944.

G. School Census.

H. Changes in Personnel.

I. High School Graduation.

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Population Census, 1940	16,179
Average Membership ending, June, 1943	2,713
Average Membership ending, June, 1942	2,826
Decrease in Average Membership	113
Total Membership, 1943	2,854
Total Membership, 1942	2,935
Per cent of Attendance, 1943	92.46
Per cent of Attendance, 1942	94.62
Days Lost	
Stormy Weather:	
High School	3
Elementary	3½
Rationing:	
Elementary 4 days Oil Rationing	
5 days War Book IV	9
Actual Length of School Year	
High	177
Elementary	167½
Special Teachers Employed, 1942-1943	5
Regular Teaching Positions	102
Total Teaching Positions	107

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RECORD OF ATTENDANCE FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1942 - 1943

SCHOOL	TEACHER	No. of Different Pupils Enrolled					Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent Attendance	Days Attendance	Days Absences	Tardiness	Dismissals
		Pupils 5 - 6	Pupils 7 - 14	Pupils 14 - 16	Pupils 16 or Over	Total Enrollment							
High	Charles J. Peterson		76	496	456	1,028	959.83	883.27	91.81	156,001	10,758	3,075	2,052
Franklin	Christine Callan		26	15		41	40.85	39.61	96.95	6,334	208	22	17
	Edna M. Paulson		25	8		33	29.63	28.77	97.13	4,820	142	17	9
	Catherine A. Doran		35			35	34.80	33.33	95.77	5,584	264	9	15
	Helen M. Delaney		29	1		30	28.85	27.48	95.25	4,603	231	30	12
	Cora Guarnaccia		23			23	23.99	23.24	96.88	3,893	125	4	1
	Stella H. Blaikie		28			28	28.48	26.73	93.84	4,476	294	10	5
	Helen E. Harper		31			31	30.42	28.94	95.15	4,847	248	23	12
	Lydia M. Sullivan	17	18			35	34.29	32.68	95.31	5,475	275	14	3
	Avis M. Jones	22				22	22.23	20.55	92.42	3,443	282	15	4
	Hester A. Walker		7	4		11	10.09	9.11	90.32	1,549	166	69	18
	Elizabeth D. Burke		2	8	1	11	8.10	6.69	82.58	1,138	240	62	16
Greenwood	Abbie A. Bell		25	2		27	25.68	24.41	95.07	4,089	212	24	19
	Clareberta Wilson		16	10		26	26.66	24.91	93.46	4,173	292	19	14
	Signe M. Peterson		33			33	34.00	32.32	95.05	5,413	282	43	11
	Ethel M. Wilson		29	1		30	29.70	27.81	93.62	4,648	318	50	12
	Theresa J. Collins		32			32	31.02	28.53	91.97	4,779	417	22	17
	Amanda J. Stephenson		34			34	29.70	27.70	93.26	4,640	336	27	9
	Winifred Beal		33			33	30.58	27.94	91.38	4,681	442	88	22
	Irja E. Hykkyri		30			30	29.87	27.40	91.73	4,589	413	66	13
	Laura A. Hart		33			33	31.07	28.44	91.54	4,764	432	73	15
	Lillian J. Shoff		35			35	32.25	29.33	90.95	4,913	489	55	20
	Hilda M. Hayden	1	29			30	30.02	27.39	91.24	4,588	440	24	25
	Hazel O. Wilder		31			31	30.11	27.42	91.07	4,594	451	54	7
	Maude E. Parks	12	22			34	31.81	28.90	90.86	4,841	487	28	4

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		Pupils 5 - 6	Pupils 7 - 14	Pupils 14 - 16	Pupils 16 or Over	Total Enrollment							
	Lee Pfeiffer	15	14			29	26.83	25.01	93.20	4,188	305	65	12
	Alice E. Calkins	26	2			28	26.07	23.65	90.75	3,962	404	33	4
	Grace E. Widtfeldt	25	1			26	24.58	22.62	92.01	3,789	329	53	8
Hurd	Dorothy E. Peterson		15	4		19	18.96	17.88	94.30	2,996	180	11	12
	Ruth E. Cronin		30			30	29.21	26.38	94.39	4,419	474	9	15
	Katheryn Carney		24			24	22.31	20.38	91.34	3,415	324	13	14
	Bella A. Rattray	12	18			30	30.05	26.25	87.33	4,297	615	30	10
Lincoln	Bernice O. Bazley		34	7		41	38.07	35.45	93.12	5,938	438	14	28
	Ruth B. Spence		38	4		42	41.93	39.74	94.77	6,657	368	45	26
	Gladys M. Douglass		37			37	36.99	35.34	95.53	5,920	278	34	15
	Alice M. Scipione		34	1		35	37.19	34.82	93.62	5,834	397	40	16
	Bernice E. Hendrickson		39			39	38.82	36.93	95.13	6,187	318	40	11
	Ruth C. Webber		33			33	32.33	30.39	93.99	5,091	327	16	9
	Mary T. Bonney	9	20			29	31.09	29.15	93.76	4,883	326	76	6
	Blanche L. Meserve	33	2			35	35.23	32.22	91.45	5,398	506	69	19
Montrose	Beatrice D. Moody		10	9		19	18.37	17.03	92.70	2,853	224	125	41
	Margaret Conway		22			22	22.52	21.07	93.56	3,531	243	92	7
	Mabel F. Johnson		39			39	37.61	35.12	93.37	5,833	418	57	14
	Mary E. Grace		37			37	36.61	34.43	94.04	5,768	366	102	14
	Susie L. Rich		31			31	31.25	28.60	91.52	4,792	446	59	3
	Winifred Geizer	11	25			36	34.42	31.28	90.87	5,240	525	109	13
	Margaret McGonagle	33	3			36	33.18	29.45	88.76	4,933	625	60	11
Warren	Lois I. Jordan		35	9		44	41.73	37.78	90.55	6,327	661	168	47
	Mary O'Connell		41	2		43	41.10	38.25	93.07	6,407	477	85	12
	Mary E. C. Geagan		36			36	33.81	31.22	92.34	5,230	434	62	22

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		Pupils 5 - 6	Pupils 7 - 14	Pupils 14 - 16	Pupils 16 or Over	Total Enrollment							
	Bessie E. David		36			36	33.97	31.97	94.10	5,355	335	70	33
	Irene F. Norton		28			28	27.78	25.42	91.48	4,255	399	71	13
	Lillian A. Shaffer	5	32			37	37.57	33.68	89.66	5,642	651	89	32
	Elizabeth M. Strout	25	2			27	23.98	20.96	87.40	3,509	506	81	6
West Ward	Mabel A. Kernan		26			26	22.32	20.11	89.87	3,368	379	38	10
	Flora S. Hall	30	11			41	32.61	29.48	90.42	4,938	523	42	9
Woodville	Eleanor B. Ringdahl		15	3		18	17.05	16.88	93.95	2,828	182	50	10
	Margaret M. Landers		30			30	26.98	25.03	92.76	4,194	327	41	15
	Mary M. Harrington		33			33	27.15	24.79	91.32	4,152	393	37	14
	Virginia A. Bauer	12	10			22	18.81	16.36	87.01	2,742	409	60	13
		288	1,525	584	457	2,854	2,712.51	2,508.02	92.46	427,756	32,356	5,969	2,896

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SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Willard B. Atwell, Ph. B., 1911 Brown University

SECRETARY TO THE SUPERINTENDENT

Pauline E. Meads, B.S., 1929, Simmons College

SECRETARY

Doris Skinner, 1937, Chandler Secretarial School

LIST OF REGULAR TEACHERS TO DATE

Name	Subjects	Date of First Election	Where Educated
Charles J. Peterson, A.B.	Principal	1919	Wesleyan University
Roland H. Kinder, B.S., Ed. M.	Sub-master, Mathematics, Aeronautics	1919	University of N. H. Harvard University
Eleanor K. Abbott, A.B.	English	1930	Wheaton College
A. Louise Allman, A.B., Ed. M.	English	1934	Bates College Harvard University
Walter E. Antunes, B.S., A.M.	Science	1936	Boston University
Marjorie T. Bunker, A.B.	Mathematics	1924	Boston University
**Joseph Cassano, B.Voc.Ed., Ed.M.	Biology, Horticulture Physiographic Science	1927	Mass. State College Boston University
Bernice L. Caswell, B.S., M.A., B.L.I.	Head of English Department	1927	Columbia University Emerson College
**Lucian J. Colucci, A.B.	Italian, French, History, Coach: Track, Basketball, Asst. Football	1939	Amherst College
Ruth V. Conley, B.S.	English	1927	Boston University
Elvira C. Cosman, A.B.	Com. Industry, Ancient, Medieval and World History	1921	Boston University
Ellen L. Cowing, B.S.E., Ed.M.	French	1935	Boston University
Nancy D'Amico, A.B.	French, Italian, Algebra	1935	Tufts College
**Francis W. Dinan, A.B., M.A.	Latin	1941	Boston College Boston College Graduate School
Raymond S. Dower	Head of Commercial Department, Law Accounting, Economics, Salesmanship	1918	Northampton College

**On leave, in Service

Name	Subjects	Date of First Election	Where Educated
Constance M. Doyle, A.B.	Commercial Arithmetic, Civics	1939	Emmanuel College
Harriet D. Dunning, A.B.	English	1926	Radcliffe College
Joseph H. Fanck	Head of Manual Arts Department, Mechanical Drawing	1913	Mass. School of Art
R. Edgar Fisher, A.B.	Head of History Department	1921	Bowdoin College
Arthur A. Fulton, LL.B.	History, Algebra, War Mathematics	1915	Northampton College Blackstone Institute
Myron E. Gallop, B.S.	Head of Science Department, Chemistry, Physics, Elem. Science	1929	Bates College
*Helen F. Gilmore	Dean of Girls, German, History, Civics	1913	Boston University
Eleanor M. Gleason, B.S.	Science, Chemistry, Biology	1934	Simmons College
William D. Healey, A.B., Ed.M.	History, Algebra, Latin, Coach of Football, Director of Extra-Curricular Activities	1928	Holy Cross College Harvard College
Howard J. Heavens, A.B., M.A.	Head of Mathematics Department, Coach Cross-Country, Director of Guidance	1927	Amherst College
Janet S. Height, A.B., M.A.	Plane Geometry, Algebra	1929	Boston University Columbia University
Ruth F. Hiatt, B.B.A., M.B.A.	Typewriting, Office Practice and Gregg Shorthand	1921	Boston University
Isabella M. Hirst	Freehand Drawing	1916	Mass. School of Art
Alice E. Ladieu	Advanced Business Training Accounting	1936	Salem State Teachers' College
Margaret L. Macdonald	Stenography, Typewriting, Commercial Arithmetic, Office Practice	1927	Salem Commercial School
Louis P. Marché	Woodworking, Auto Driving	1923	Wentworth Institute
Anne H. Meserve, B.S.	Household Arts	1925	University of N. H.

*Not a graduate

Name	Subjects	Date of First Election	Where Educated
Thomas C. Murray, A.B., L.L.B.	Modern, Ancient and Medieval History, Civics, Mathematics, Algebra	1931	Boston College Fordham University
Katharine H. Nichols, B.S. in Ed.	Physical Education	1936	Bouve-Boston School of Physical Education Boston University
Ethelyn M. Pattee, A.B., M.A.	French	1927	Wellesley College Columbia University
Alfred E. Preble, B.S.	Physics, Chemistry, Biology	1913	Tufts College
Ethel G. Reed, A.B., M.A.	English	1911	Tufts College Middlebury College
M. Alice Ryan, B.B.A.	Stenography, Typewriting, Gregg Shorthand	1902	Boston University
Louise E. Sheldon, A.B., B.S.	Librarian	1937	Boston University Simmons College
**Homer M. Shellenberger, B.P.E.	Supervisor and teacher of Physical Education, Director of Athletics, Coach of Basketball, Baseball and Freshman Football	1925	Springfield College
W. Harold Rood, B.P.E.	Supervisor and teacher of Physical Education, Director of Athletics, Coach of Basketball, Baseball and Freshman Football	1941	Springfield College University of N. H.
*S. Morton Sherman	Woodworking, Civics, Mech. Drawing	1925	Carnegie Institute
Genesta B. Tooker	English, Latin	1924	Washington State Normal, Maine
Elizabeth V. Upham, B.S., M.A.	English	1936	Tufts College
Donald White, A.B.	Commerce and Industry, History, Horticulture	1930	Harvard College Mass. State College
Olive G. Glover	Secretary	1927	Clark's Business School

**On leave, in Service

*Not a graduate

Name	Grade	Date of First Election	Where Educated
FRANKLIN SCHOOL			
Jules I. Philie, A.B., M. Ed.	Principal	1941	Holy Cross College Tufts College
A. Christine Callan, B.S. in Ed., M.A.	8	1931	Boston Teachers' College Boston College
Edna M. Paulson	7	1926	Fitchburg State Teachers' College
Catherine A. Doran	6	1918	Keene Normal School
Cora Guarnaccia	6	1923	Salem State Teachers' College
Helen M. Delaney	5	1924	Fitchburg State Teachers' College
*Stella H. Blaikie	4	1927	Wellesley College
Helen Pendergast, B.S. in Ed.	3	1935	Lowell State Teachers' College
Lydia M. Sullivan	2	1916	Fitchburg State Teachers' College
Avis M. Jones	1	1925	Aroostook State Normal
Emma L. Lane	Special	1943	Hyannis Teachers' College
Hester A. Walker	Special	1924	Salem State Teachers' College
GREENWOOD SCHOOL			
Eliot B. Leonard, B.S. in Ed.	Principal	1931	Newark State Normal New York University
Abbie A. Bell	8	1925	Salem State Teachers' College
Clareberta Wilson, A.B.	8	1923	Radcliffe College
Signe M. Peterson	7	1925	Salem State Teachers' College
Ethel M. Wilson	7	1923	Plymouth Teachers' College
Theresa J. Walsh	6	1928	Salem State Teachers' College
Amanda J. Stephenson	6	1926	Aroostook State Normal
Irja E. Hykkyri, B.S.	5	1942	Fitchburg State Teachers' College
Winifred R. Beal	5	1924	Washington State Normal
Lillian J. Shoff	4	1928	Plymouth Teachers' College
Laura A. Hart	4	1910	Framingham State Teachers' College
Hilda M. Hayden	3	1924	Salem State Teachers' College

*Not a graduate

Name	Grade	Date of First Election	Where Educated
Hazel O. Wilder	3	1923	Salem State Teachers' College
Maude E. Parks	2	1919	Plymouth Teachers' College
Virginia A. Bauer	2	1940	Salem State Teachers' College Boston University
Alice E. Calkins	1	1924	Wheelock School
Grace E. Widtfeldt	1	1927	Salem State Teachers' College

HURD SCHOOL

Jules I. Philie, A.B., M. Ed.	Principal	1941	Holy Cross College Tufts College
Elizabeth D. Burke	7 and 8	1927	Lowell State Teachers' College
Nita G. Tumblin	5 and 6	1943	Truro Normal School
Katheryn Carney	3 and 4	1925	Salem State Teachers' College
Bella A. Rattray	1 and 2	1926	Perry Kdg. Normal

LINCOLN SCHOOL

T. Frank Shea	Principal	1902	Westfield State Teachers' College, 4 yrs.
Bernice O. Bazley, B.S. in Ed.	8	1929	Salem State Teachers' College Boston University
Ruth B. Spence	7	1925	Gorham Normal
Gladys M. Douglass	6	1935	Salem State Teachers' College
**Alice M. Scipione			
Mary E. Grace	5	1936	Lowell State Teachers' College
Bernice E. Hendrickson	4	1908	Salem State Teachers' College
Ruth C. Webber	3	1925	Aroostook State Normal
Mary T. Bonney	2	1936	The Wheelock School
Blanche L. Meserve	1	1916	Plymouth Normal, N. H.
Lee Pfeiffer	1	1925	Wheelock K.T. School

**On leave, in Service

MONTROSE SCHOOL

Name	Grade	Date of First Election	Where Educated
T. Frank Shea	Principal	1902	Westfield State Teachers' College, 4 yrs.
Beatrice D. Moody	8	1936	Salem State Teachers' College
Margaret A. Conway, A.B.	7	1941	Boston University
Mabel F. Johnson	5 and 6	1926	Plymouth Normal
Ruth E. Cronin, B.S.	4 and 5	1942	Salem State Teachers' College
Susie L. Rich	2 and 3	1942	Lowell State Teachers' College
Winifred Geizer	1 and 2	1928	Salem State Teachers' College
**Margaret A. McGonagle			
Edythe N. Baxter	1	1942	Hyannis State Teachers' College

WARREN SCHOOL

Eliot B. Leonard, B.S. in Ed.	Principal	1931	Newark State Normal New York University
*Lois I. Jordan	8	1925	Smith College
Alice V. Gerrish	7	1917	Salem State Teachers' College
Mary E. C. Geagan	6	1906	Lowell State Teachers' College
Bessie E. David	5	1907	Bridgewater State Teachers' College
Irene F. Norton	4	1908	Hyannis State Teachers' College
*Lillian A. Shaffer	2 and 3	1908	Hyannis State Teachers' College
Elizabeth M. Strout	1 and 2	1925	Salem State Teachers' College

WEST WARD SCHOOL

*Mabel A. Kernan, Principal	3 and 4	1899	Boston University
Marjorie Frances Moore, B.S. in Ed.	1 and 2	1943	Bridgewater State Teachers' College

*Not a graduate

**On leave, in Service

Name	Grade	Date of First Election	Where Educated
WOODVILLE SCHOOL			
Jules I. Philie, A.B., M.Ed.	Principal	1941	Holy Cross College Tufts College
Eleanor B. Ringdahl	6 and 7	1919	New Britain State Teachers' College
Margaret M. Landers	4 and 5	1930	Salem State Teachers' College
Mary M. Harrington	1, 2 and 3	1940	Lesley Normal
SPECIALS			
Grace A. Jenkins	Drawing	1919	Mass. Normal Art
**Robert D. King, Mus.B., M.A.	Music	1941	Boston University Harvard University
Sally Currier King, Mus.B.	Music	1942	Boston University
Dorothy L. Shepard, B.S. in Ed.	Elementary Physical Education	1936	Bouve-Boston School of Physical Education Boston University
William Piscione, B.S.	High and Elem. Physical Education, Asst. Coach Football	1943	Villanova College
HEALTH			
J. William Burke, A.B., M.D.	School Physician	1939	Harvard College Harvard Medical School
Mary K. English	School Nurse	1916	
Thomas F. Kenney	Supervisor of Attendance School Committee Agent	1939	

JANITORS

Name	School	Address
Edward E. Eaton	High	21 Park Street
M. Leo Conway, Engineer	High	10 Bennett Street
Edward T. Clothey	High	21 Crescent Street
Richard E. Giles	High	26 Pearl Street
Carrie M. Agry	High	16 Charles Street
G. Fred Dodge	Franklin	46 Albion Street

Chester I. Hopkins	Greenwood	27 Greenwood Avenue
Carl L. Paulson	Hurd	35 Wave Avenue
Lyman E. Allen	Lincoln	199 North Avenue
Francis H. Goldsmith	Montrose	20 Bartley Street
Thomas Hemsworth	Warren	23 Converse Street
John M. Hennessey	West Ward	140 Nahant Street
John H. Fletcher	Woodville	158 Water Street

GENERAL WORK

**Charles B. Lally	20 Eaton Street

** On leave, in Service.

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COST OF PUBLIC DAY SCHOOL—1943

General Expenses	Total	High	Elementary
Supt. of Schools and Attendance Officer:			
Salaries	$ 7,439.13		
Other Expenses	237.17		
School Committee:			
Clerks, Other Expenses	4,200.21		
Instruction:			
Supervisors:			
Salaries	3,510.52		
Expenses	297.33		
Principals	14,302.22	$ 4,722.34	$ 9,579.88
Teachers	209,044.36	103,440.69	105,603.67
Text Books	5,388.47	2,228.47	3,160.00
Supplies	7,298.72	4,449.58	2,849.14
Operation:			
Janitor Service	20,612.36	8,325.16	12,287.20
Fuel	11,156.25	4,429.29	6,726.96
Miscellaneous	3,361.73	1,618.51	1,743.22
Maintenance:			
Repairs and Upkeep	10,182.29	3,835.30	6,346.99
Auxiliary Agencies			
Health	3,066.62	126.63	2,939.99
Library	317.10	317.10	
Tuition	112.44		112.44
Miscellaneous	2,534.09	823.61	1,710.48
Transportation	1,581.00	652.00	929.00
Outlay	291.44	239.39	52.05
	$304,933.45	$135,208.07	$154,041.02

The receipts for 1943 are:

Com. of Mass., on account of Teachers	$ 21,770.70
Com. of Mass., Tuition, State Wards	2,165.34
City of Boston, Tuition, City Wards	4,434.74
Town of Lynnfield, Tuition	13,562.90
Town of Saugus, Tuition	234.32
Individuals, Tuition	191.61
Receipts, Woodworking Dept.	338.89
Rental of School Auditoriums	46.00
Miscellaneous receipts	534.77
	$ 43,279.27

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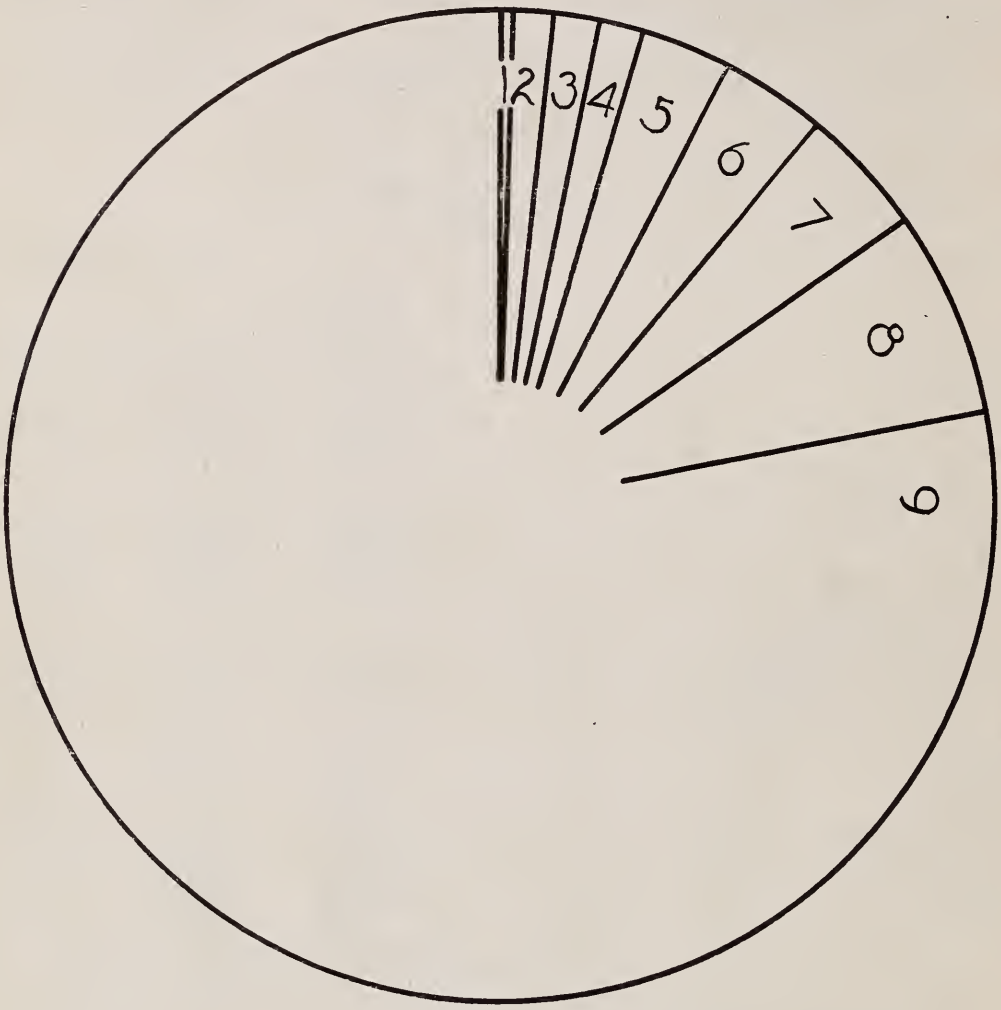
HOW A SCHOOL DOLLAR IS SPENT



1.	Outlay	$ .0009
2.	Miscellaneous: Water, Light, Janitor Supplies	.0111
3.	Office Expenses, including clerk hire, telephones, etc.	.0146
4.	Auxiliaries	.0171
5.	Repairs and Upkeep	.0331
6.	Fuel	.0366
7.	Books and Supplies	.0417
8.	Janitors	.0676
9.	Supt., Att. Officer, Teachers, School physician and Nurse	.7773
		$ 1.0000

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AGE AND GRADE CHART

January 1, 1944

Grade	Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Total
	B		97	36	5	1	1											140
1	G	2	110	30	7													149
	B			58	41	7		1										107
2	G			71	26	9	1											107
	B			1	69	47	10	4										131
3	G			3	50	24	4	3										84
	B				1	56	36	16	7									116
4	G				3	68	36	7	1									115
	B						56	43	9	3								111
5	G						55	32	4	2								93
	B							53	34	22	8	2						119
6	G						2	58	43	11	3	1	1					119
	B							3	47	32	28	6						116
7	G							6	68	25	13	2						114
	B									42	48	14	2					106
8	G									47	33	9	4					93
	B									3	57	71	31	5				167
9	G									3	74	56	22	2				157
	B										1	51	45	9	1			107
10	G										1	70	33	3				107
	B												44	28	5			77
11	G											4	58	48	6	1		117
	B												2	38	26			66
12	G												9	71	33	6		119
H. S.	B																	0
Spec.	G														3			3
Elem.	B					1		1		1	4	7	2					16
Spec.	G									1	1	4						6
Boys		0	97	95	116	112	103	121	97	103	146	151	126	80	32	0	0	1379
Girls		2	110	104	86	101	98	106	116	89	125	146	127	124	42	7	0	1383
Total		2	207	199	202	213	201	227	213	192	271	297	253	204	74	7	0	2762

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REPORT OF CENSUS

October 1, 1943

	Boys			Girls			Total
	5-7	7-14	14-16	5-7	7-14	14-16	
Wakefield Public Schools	157	801	263	174	719	276	2390
St. Joseph's	39	155	8	40	153	2	397
Private						7	7
Trade School			3			1	4
Kindergarten	5			4			9
Under 5: Boys 15 Girls 19							
Physically handicapped, unable to attend school		5					5
Institutions			1				1
Home Permits			1			1	2
Working Certificates			3			3	6
Not in school	15			16			31
	216	961	279	234	872	290	2852

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CHANGES IN PERSONNEL IN 1943

On Leave — U. S. Services

Joseph Cassano	High School
Margaret M. McGonagle	Montrose School
Alice M. Scipione	Lincoln School

Retirement

Carl A. Peterson	Janitor, High School

Resignations

Dorothy E. Petersen—From Hurd School	To Stratford, Conn.
Mary P. O'Connell—From Warren	To be married
Flora Hall Kite—From West Ward	To Plympton

Appointments

William Piscione	To Physical Education Dept.
Marjorie F. Moore—Farmington, Conn.	To West Ward School

Nita G. Tumblin	To Hurd School
Edythe N. Baxter	To Montrose School
Emma L. Lane	To Franklin School
John Fletcher	Janitor, Woodville School
Carl L. Paulson	Janitor, Hurd School

Transfers

Virginia A. Bauer—To Greenwood	From Woodville School
Elizabeth D. Burke—To Hurd	From Franklin School
Ruth E. Cronin—To Montrose	From Hurd School
Mary E. Grace—To Lincoln	From Montrose School
Lee Pfeiffer—To Lincoln	From Greenwood School
Edward T. Clothey—To High	Janitor, From Hurd School

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THE COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

of

The Class of Nineteen Forty-three

WAKEFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

Wakefield, Massachusetts

THE AUDITORIUM JUNE THE TENTH

EIGHT O'CLOCK

The Theme { The Heart of This Nation Is Sound
The Spirit of This Nation Is Strong
The Faith of This Nation Is Eternal }

THE PROGRAM

Overture and Processional
Flag Salute
Star Spangled Banner
Essay—The Heart of This Nation Is Sound
Barbara G. Dower, Salutatorian
"My Country 'Tis of Thee" R. G. Callvert
James E. Worthley, Jr.
Waltz in C Sharp Minor Chopin
Concettina Rizza
Honor Essay—The Spirit of This Nation is Strong
Hazel V. Ormsby
"Mr. Kaplan and Shakespeare" Leonard Q. Ross
Herbert H. Quint

Song—An American Prayer — Stock & Rose
Senior Members of Girls' Glee Club
"A Parable for Fathers" — Julia F. Wood
Phyllis C. Robertson
Essay—The Faith of This Nation Is Eternal
Stuart D. Grandfield, Valedictorian
Class Song—To Wakefield High School
Directed by Barbara G. Dower
Presentation of Diplomas
Patrick H. Tenney, Chairman of the School Committee
Recessional

CLASS SONG

To Wakefield High School

We leave thy portals, Wakefield High
To breast life's bulwarks strong.
Equipped in mind, we say farewell
And swiftly march along.
We're thankful to Almighty God
For schools and teachers all.
No matter what the path we've trod,
We'll fight at Freedom's call.

Refrain

To thee we send, O Wakefield High,
Thy praises sweet in song.
We'll raise thy banner to the sky,
Emblem of right, not wrong.

Amidst the tumult and the strife,
Despite this wartime greed.
We'll fight to win. We'll forfeit life
To end the tyrant's creed.
Let Justice light the world anew,
Let Faith, and Hope, and Love
Dispel grim Battle's flaming hue—
Bring Peace from God above.

Words by Barbara Dower, '43
Music by Angelina Granese, '43

Class Motto
"Try, Trust, and Triumph"

Class Colors
Maroon and Gold

THE GRADUATES

Frank Joseph Angelini
William P. Angelini
Samuel Leroy Armstrong
* Richard Walter Baker
* Warren Brydon Baker
Lillian M. Barrett
Martha Therese Barron
Ruth Ann Barry
Alice M. Bartlett
Robert E. Bates
Charles William Bayrd
Karl Edmund Becker
John H. Beebe, 3rd
* Ronald Belanger
H John Anthony Benedetto
William Denton Bezanson
Doris P. Bishop
* Robert Gray Brockbank
Paul Cleveland Brown
Dorothy Anne Bunker
Joseph Leonard Butler
George L. Buxton
Joseph Daniel Calkins
Rita M. Callan
John F. Canavan
H Doris Carolyn Cardillo
David F. Carpenter
Marian Louise Casey
Joseph Francis Cassidy, Jr.
Janice Virginia Chadwick
H R. Jean Christopher
David Cicciarella
Anne Theresa Clancy
William M. Coffill
H Shirley Estella Cole
Harry F. Collins
H Helen Louise Collins
William Francis Colwell
Carolyn Jane Cook
Marian Frances Costello
Warren Ernest Crowe
Margaret E. Cruickshank
Charles Clifford Curran
Theresa Ann D'Alessandro
Theresa Elizabeth D'Alessandro
William Francis Daley
Mary Anne Dalton
Evelyn Ruth Darling
Jean Davis
Gladys Mae Dearden
Dorothy Ruth DelRossi
Lana Catherine DeMarco
Anna M. DeSantis
* James Joseph Devlin, Jr.
Joan Dike
Theresa Mary DiSanto
Charles Clifford Doucette
H Barbara Gavin Dower
Ruth Dulong
Joan Baker Eaton
* Alfred Spencer Edgett, Jr.,
* Francis A. Edmunds
Richard A. Emery
Louis Paul Evangelista
Priscilla Fairweather
H Priscilla Alley Falls
Mary Irene Fayle
Peter A. Filoramo
James W. Findlay
Nancy Fitz
Bernard Peter Fitzgerald
* William Edward Flynn
John Francis Foley
Nathalie L. Foss
Claire Clementine Fotino
Fred Anthony Gallugi
John P. Garbenis
Barbara L. Gerrish
Warren A. Gerry
* Roland Boyden Gibson
Virginia Gilligan
Eleanor Giuliano
Sebastian Giuliano
Emma Giunta
Earle H. Glidden
H Stuart Davis Grandfield
Raoul Joseph Grandpre
Angelina Mary Granese
Shirley Avis Graves
Mary S. Gudzevich
* Robert Pennington Gulick
* Leland Stanford Hager

Richard Edward Halloran
Paul M. Hanson
* Stanley Harvey, Jr.
Patricia Ruth Healey
Marguerite Ann Hickey
Alice E. Hopkins
Constance Fitz Howe
H Eleanor Mary Hurton
Thomas Francis Hurton, Jr.
John Joseph Inglis
Mary Geraldine Jameson
Helen Pauline Jay
Leslie M. Jay
Dorothy M. Jillett
Helen Eva Johnson
Howard Russell Jolliffe
Douglas Frederick Jordan
Olga E. Kanchuga
Betty F. Kelley
Robert F. Kelley
Robert Edward Kelly
Alexander C. Klapes
Frank C. Knapp
Fillon Knish
Ernest F. Kuklinski
* George Edward Landrigan
Harry Richard Lanzillo, Jr.
Evelyn L. Leone
Madeleine Elaine LePage
Robert E. Littell
* Merritt Davis Long
William F. Lux
William D. MacDermott
Jean MacKay
* Howard Joseph MacKilligan
Allan Roy MacLeod
* Donald C. Maga
Muriel Mae Magee
Thomas Snowdon Malcolm
H Mary Martino
Lurline Maugeri
Barbara Mayo
Jean Elizabeth McAllister
Joseph F. McDonald
John Phillip McElroy
Ernestine M. McWhinnie
Elsie L. Melonson
Pearl Betty Messenger
Richard A. Mills
Jean Margaret Moore
Margery Morgan
Mary Cecelia Murphy
Norma Frances Muse
Wilfred Muse
Marilyn Y. Myers
Ruth Margaret Nutt
Charles William O'Connor
Henry J. O'Neill, Jr.
H Hazel Virginia Ormsby
H Hannelore Oswald
Ruth J. Page
Emil John Pawlowski
Charles R. Pettipost
Charles Patrick Pizzano
Norman Dodge Potter
Thelma A. Precourt
* Lester Charles Preston
Salvatore Joseph Puglisi
John Lawrence Quinn, Jr.
Herbert Henry Quint
Lillian Alice Quirk
William A. Rattray, Jr.
Pauline Frances Reid
* Charles F. Rice
Concettina M. Rizza
Rosina Mary Roberto
Phyllis Claire Robertson
Betty Roderick
Bette Ann Rodgers
Philip A. Rosa
* David H. Round
Virginia Adams Russell
Doris Elizabeth Ryan
Eleanor Harriett Ryans
Doris June Saunders
June Scribner
Rita Slocumb
John Calvin Smith
Joseph A. Sousa
Paul Roche Spang
H Louise Stantial
Mary Josephine Stanton
H Robert M. Steeves
H Mary Ann Stevens
Gloria J. Storti
Burton Loomis Strong

Edward Joseph Surette
Philmont Albert Taylor
Eleanor Camille Tecce
Esther Louise Tecce
Marian Elizabeth Tenney
Norma Louise Thistle
Phyllis Ella Thresher
Elizabeth M. Thyng
Henry B. Twombly, Jr.
* Robert Evans Tyler
Wendell L. Vidito
Allan Clement Vowells
Eileen Marie Walsh
David Harrison Wells
Dorothy Louise Wentzel
Frances Betty Wentzell
Phyllis Louise Westover
Lorraine Fern Weyland
Audrey Joyce Whalen
Richard Francis Wheeler
Helen Mary White
Evelyn Hope Wilkenson
Catherine Joyce Williams
Grace Elizabeth Williams
James Everett Worthley, Jr.
Mary Anne Zammitti

H Honor Pupils
* In Armed Services

Twenty-ninth Annual Report of the Town Accountant

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

RECEIPTS FOR 1943

From Taxes—Current Year:		
Real Estate	$515,384.32	
Personal	27,911.52	
Poll	8,482.00	
		$551,777.84
Taxes—Prior Years:		
Real Estate	$114,662.92	
Personal	3,772.75	
Poll	1,238.00	
		119,673.67
Tax Title Redemptions		5,926.90
From Special Assessments:		
Moth Extermination	$ 1,264.88	
Sewers Unapportioned	387.21	
Sewers Apportioned	5,690.47	
Sewers Paid in Full	1,447.40	
Betterments Unapportioned	552.51	
Betterments Apportioned	6,708.36	
Betterments Paid in Full	1,251.41	
		17,302.24
From Motor Vehicle Excise		22,838.98
From Licenses and Permits:		
Liquor	$ 4,000.00	
Victuallers	85.00	
Inn Holders	5.00	
Sunday	105.00	
Motor Vehicle Dealers	150.00	
Second Hand Dealers	20.00	
Pedlers	30.00	
Junk	20.00	
Taxi	11.00	
Auctioneer	12.00	

Lodging House	4.00	
Dances	48.00	
Pool and Bowling	40.00	
		4,530.00
From Fines and Forfeits:		
Court Fines		901.45
Departmental Revenue:		
From Treasurer:		
Tax Title Releases		39.00
From Collector:		
Fees	$ 1,367.20	
Costs	93.68	
Certifications	97.00	
		1,557.88
From Collector—Overpayment on Collections		270.00
From Town Clerk:		
Fees	$ 859.35	
Marriage Licenses	430.00	
Dog Licenses for County	2,298.20	
		3,587.55
Board of Appeals Fees		50.00
Town Hall Rentals and Telephone		192.08
Lafayette Hall Rentals		227.00
Police Department:		
Revolver Permits	$ 37.50	
Ambulance Service	369.50	
Bicycle Registration	66.80	
Reimbursement for Damage	4.65	
		478.45
Fire Department:		
Rentals Greenwood Hall	34.75	
Damage Claim	16.38	
Sale of Materials	20.00	
		71.13
Moth Department:		
Removing Tree		3.50
Building Inspector—Permit Fees		245.90
Sealer of Weights and Measures—Fees		106.02

Health Department:		
Contagious Diseases	$ 423.22	
Tuberculosis	165.00	
Plumbing Permits	97.00	
Milk Licenses	105.50	
Other Licenses	28.00	
		818.72
Highway Department:		
Sale of Materials	6.00	
Damage Claims	36.00	
		42.00
W. P. A.—Sale of Truck and Junk		20.00
Welfare Department:		
Reimbursements Other Cities and Towns:		
Temporary Aid	$ 2,750.34	
Aid Dependent Children	32.00	
Reimbursements from Individuals:		
Temporary Aid	413.00	
Aid Dependent Children	16.00	
		3,211.34
Infirmary:		
Sale of Hay	$ 50.00	
Board	15.00	
Other Receipts	1.02	
		66.02
Old Age Assistance:		
From Cities and Towns	$ 2,054.81	
From Individuals—Reimbursements	422.67	
		2,477.48
School Department:		
Tuition—Town of Lynnfield	$ 7,574.63	
Tuition—City of Boston	4,434.74	
Other Tuition	425.93	
Sale of Typewriters	415.53	
Fire Loss	120.00	
Other Receipts	526.53	
		13,497.36
Library:		
Fines	$ 1,046.17	
Sale of Typewriter	29.00	
Other Receipts	1.25	
		1,076.42

Park Department:		
Collections at Bath House	$ 133.45	
Damage Claim	25.00	
		158.45
Cemetery Department:		
Sale of Lots and Graves	$ 2,162.00	
Foundations	427.00	
Annual Care	28.00	
Interments	822.00	
Lowering Device	203.00	
Holiday and Saturday Funerals	30.00	
Other Receipts	100.00	
		3,772.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Light Department:		
Sale of Electricity	$269,132.49	
Sale of Gas	114,658.84	
Other Receipts	6,497.81	
		390,289.14
Water Department:		
Water Rates	$ 84,544.46	
Water Services	2,363.88	
Water Summons	161.00	
Water Turn Ons	45.00	
Water Maintenance	332.08	
Fire Loss	200.00	
		87,646.42
Sewer Department:		
Sewer Maintenance	$ 4.92	
Sewer Connection Deposits	1,905.61	
		1,910.53
From Salvage Committee—Sale of Tin		100.44
Unpaid Checks 1937 and prior years credited to Excess and Deficiency Account		375.11
From Interest:		
Tax Title Redemptions	$ 830.31	
Deferred Special Assessments	3,626.24	
Deferred Taxes	5,090.98	
		9,547.53
Interest on Investments:		
U. S. War Bonds Series G—2½%		500.00

Interest on Trust Funds:		
Cemetery	$ 1,187.42	
Library	3,250.07	
Park	65.35	
Willard Donnell Trust—Welfare	271.21	
Sweetser Lecture Fund	213.64	
Annie L. Cox Scholarship Fund	150.00	
		5,137.69
In Escrow for Investment:		
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests		2,663.00
From Loans:		
Temporary Loans:		
Anticipation of Revenue	$400,000.00	
Anticipation Highway Reimbursement	2,000.00	
Premium on Temporary Notes	2.00	
		402,002.00
From Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Income Tax	$ 76,490.70	
Corporation Tax	38,375.06	
Meals Tax—Old Age Assistance	2,242.69	
Soldiers' Benefits:		
State Aid	2,260.00	
Military Aid	427.50	
Soldiers' Burials	100.00	
Health—Subsidies Cities and Towns	1,732.85	
Highway Maintenance—Chapter 90	978.40	
Welfare—Temporary Aid	1,798.52	
Welfare—Aid to Dependent Children	6,737.03	
Old Age Assistance	53,446.73	
Aid Industrial Schools	1,067.11	
		185,656.59
From Middlesex County:		
Dog Licenses	$ 1,766.64	
Highway Maintenance—Chapter 90	978.40	
		2,745.04
From United States Government through		
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$ 5,769.22	
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	1,207.23	
Old Age Assistance	53,151.28	
Old Age Assistance Administration	1,771.60	
		61,899.33

Deductions for Federal Witholding Tax		35,168.35
Town Refunds:		
Highway Department	$ 254.97	
Welfare	862.46	
Old Age Assistance—Federal	1,769.83	
Aid Dependent Children—Federal	18.30	
Soldiers' Benefits	463.08	
Police Department	21.75	
Infirmary	12.38	
Willard Donnell Trust	45.00	
Boiler Insurance	6.94	
		3,454.71
Total Receipts		$1,944,015.26
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1943		463,271.78
Total Receipts and Cash on Hand		$2,407,287.04

PAYMENTS

Expenditures for the Year Ending December 31, 1943

Moderator, Thomas G. O'Connell		$ 27.50
Selectmen:		
Salaries of Board:		
Orrin J. Hale, Chairman	$ 110.00	
Ernest L. Brown, Secretary	110.00	
William R. Lindsay	110.00	
L. Wallace Sweetser	110.00	
Robert H. Adams	18.33	
William G. Dill	91.67	
		550.00
Department Expenses:		
Clerk, Ida L. Weiss	$ 525.00	
Stationery, Postage	55.28	
Town Meeting Warrants	118.10	
Town Reports	1,085.48	
Jury Lists	12.50	
Printing, Advertising	1.25	
Finance Committee Reports	82.00	
Telephone	70.56	
Desk Pads	9.24	
Annotated Statutes Supplement	15.00	
Typewriter Desk	25.00	
Fluorescent Desk Lamps	13.67	
All Other	3.00	
		2,566.08

Accounting Department:		
Charles C. Cox, Accountant	$ 2,850.00	
Ida L. Weiss, Clerk	615.00	
Other Clerical Assistance	47.61	
Stationery, Printing	46.03	
Postage	138.10	
Ledger Sheets	30.02	
Treasury Warrants	18.00	
Filing Envelopes	21.25	
Binding Books	15.50	
New Binder	10.20	
New Chair and Letter Tray	22.85	
		3,814.56
Treasurer's Department:		
John I. Preston, Treasurer	$ 1,100.00	
Department Expenses:		
Carl W. Sunman, Paymaster	450.00	
Tax Titles	328.96	
Bond of Treasurer	275.00	
Certification of Notes	24.00	
Stationery, Postage	195.24	
Printing, Advertising	27.07	
Clerical Services	585.54	
Repairs to Check Signer	8.50	
Supplies for Federal Tax Books	27.85	
		3,022.16
Collector's Department:		
Carl W. Sunman, Collector	$ 1,700.00	
Department Expenses:		
Elsie B. Potter, Clerk	1,434.58	
A. Mildred Hawkes, Clerk	550.00	
Postage	293.84	
Printing	347.93	
Bond of Collector	498.00	
Supplies	64.39	
Telephone	61.50	
Tax Sale Costs	135.75	
Robbery Insurance	43.66	
Adding Machine and Typewriter Repairs	18.00	
Notarizing Deeds	6.00	
Services Deputy Collector	85.00	
All Other	16.72	
		5,245.37

Assessors' Department:		
Salaries of Assessors:		
George E. Blair, Chairman	$ 1,100.00	
Leo F. Douglass, Secretary	1,100.00	
George H. Stout	990.00	
		3,190.00
Department Expenses:		
Annie T. Santos, Clerk	$ 1,434.58	
Everett E. Packard, Clerk	1,364.00	
Sarah E. Loughlin, Clerk	1,304.78	
Mabel M. Turner, Clerk	44.00	
Assistant Assessors	39.60	
Automobile Allowance	123.25	
Telephone	42.65	
Printing	51.25	
Supplies	94.72	
Books and Binding	72.95	
Transfers	72.77	
Assessors' Plans	16.61	
Postage	42.50	
All Other	16.95	
		7,910.61
Legal Department:		
John I. Preston, Town Counsel	$ 1,200.00	
Department Expenses:		
Damages:		
Confalone Case	50.00	
White Case	50.00	
Welfare Case, "Stanley"	75.00	
Constable Fees	32.90	
Office Equipment	24.50	
All Other	5.95	
		1,438.35
Town Clerk's Department:		
Charles F. Young, Town Clerk	$ 2,200.00	
Department Expenses:		
Marion B. Connell, Clerk	972.40	
Stationery, Postage	101.20	
Printing	28.50	
Telephone	81.11	
Binding	27.85	
Advertising	20.25	
Bond—Town Clerk	7.50	

Town Clerk's Association Dues and Expenses	27.75	
Fluorescent Lights	40.00	
Equipment	31.60	
All Other	10.55	
		3,548.71
Vital Statistics—Births and Deaths		100.00
Election and Registration:		
Salaries of Registrars:		
Frederic G. Gorman, Chairman	$ 110.00	
Fred E. Bunker	110.00	
Edmund W. Sliney	110.00	
Charles F. Young, Secretary	125.00	
		455.00
Department Expenses:		
Assistant Registrars	611.81	
Clerk Hire	948.30	
Postage, Office Expense	66.64	
Printing, Advertising	241.75	
Street Lists	245.00	
Rental Typewriters	42.00	
Rebuilt Typewriter	40.27	
Desk Chair	21.50	
Equipment	63.84	
All Other	15.39	
		2,751.50
Election Expense—Selectmen's Account:		
Election Officers	$ 495.00	
Meals	62.40	
Care of Booths	45.29	
Equipment	2.00	
All Other	1.75	
		606.44
Town Hall:		
James J. Logan, Janitor	$ 1,991.93	
Thomas E. Giles, Night Janitor	820.05	
Other Janitors	15.78	
Department Expenses:		
Fuel	1,014.69	
Light	435.45	
Water	208.40	
Improvements Selectmen's Room	444.20	
New Door north side	160.00	

Boiler and Gas Heater	95.00	
Repairs	417.94	
Supplies	325.40	
Flags	16.75	
Amplifier for Town Meetings	15.00	
All Other	9.00	
		5,969.59
Lafayette Building:		
Loren J. Farrar, Janitor	$ 554.39	
Adelbert C. Iram, Janitor	990.74	
John N. Heningar, Janitor	9.33	
Other Janitor	61.60	
Department Expenses:		
Fuel	1,269.50	
Light	177.07	
Water	25.20	
Supplies	277.02	
Boiler Insurance	48.02	
Parking Area	100.00	
Grates for Heater	180.06	
Equipment Repairs	124.57	
All Other	26.02	
		3,843.52
Carpenter Repairs—Special Appropriation		43.00
Police Department:		
John G. Gates, Chief	$ 3,200.00	
George B. DeRoche, Lieutenant	2,900.00	
John M. Wenzel, Sergeant	2,600.00	
Walter E. Peterson, Sergeant	2,600.00	
Raymond J. Beane	2,390.00	
Morton V. Griffin	2,337.60	
James F. Hartnett	2,390.00	
Frederick C. Hupprich, Jr.	2,390.00	
John F. Mahoney	2,390.00	
Harold J. Maloney	2,390.00	
John E. Martin	2,390.00	
Ernest J. McWhinnie	2,390.00	
Joseph L. Preston	1,294.10	
Peter A. Quinn	2,390.00	
George F. Sheridan	2,390.00	
Winslow R. Smith	2,350.70	
Charles H. Sullivan	2,390.00	
Other Officers, including July 4th and Hallowe'en	304.47	
Gervase V. Stanley, Pension	429.00	
Edwin M. Rowe, Pension	1,095.00	

Dorothy McGrail, Clerk	1,147.67	
Telephones	153.45	
Teletype	556.98	
Radio Rental	299.94	
Radio Upkeep	144.45	
New Oldsmobile Sedan	700.00	
Motor Vehicle Expense	1,607.07	
Motor Vehicle Insurance	104.47	
Equipment and Repairs	303.94	
Supplies, Printing	382.97	
Meals for Prisoners	53.89	
Laundry	22.73	
Medical Attention	5.00	
Bicycle Registration	24.00	
All Other	138.82	
		48,656.25

Fire Department:

Fred D. Graham, Chief	$ 2,900.00	
Clifford E. Jacobs, Captain	2,600.00	
Robert P. MacDonald, Lieutenant	2,475.00	
Harry A. Russell	2,390.00	
Alfred C. McGrath	2,390.00	
James W. O'Donnell	2,390.00	
Frank J. Malonson	2,390.00	
Daniel J. Sullivan	2,390.00	
Arthur F. Goodridge	2,390.00	
Charles T. George	2,390.00	
William P. Hurton	2,390.00	
William E. Gerrish	2,390.00	
Francis J. Donaldson, Jr.	1,421.35	
John F. Scanlon	733.60	
Henry L. Parker	870.40	
Stanley J. Robbins	1,636.75	
Henry L. Parker, Pension	696.00	
Call Men	4,013.61	
Thomas Sullivan, Pension	41.23	
Equipment and Repairs	627.50	
Apparatus Expense	1,026.50	
Maintenance of Buildings	790.49	
Fuel and Light	713.46	
Office Expense	39.82	
Telephone	120.72	
All Other	146.75	
		42,363.18

Special Appropriation—Central Station Repairs	778.53
Special Appropriation—Greenwood Station Repairs	178.98

Hydrant Rental		
382 Hydrants at $25.00 each		9,550.00
Inspector of Wires—Fred D. Graham		300.00
Forest Warden—Payments to Various Persons		150.00
Moth Department:		
John A. Landry, Superintendent	$ 2,500.00	
Frederick A. Meuse	1,729.62	
Frank Sullivan	1,549.25	
James Humphrey	598.31	
Other Labor	738.14	
Motor Vehicle Expense	272.08	
Buildings	10.90	
Equipment	65.26	
Insecticides	595.48	
Supplies	12.95	
Trees	64.50	
All Other	31.28	
		8,167.77
Tree Warden—Purchase of Trees		100.00
Compensation Account:		
Employees of:		
Highway Department	$ 466.47	
School Department	10.00	
Water and Sewer Department	70.00	
Welfare Department	826.49	
Health Department	48.00	
Town Hall	31.00	
All Other	10.05	
		1,462.01
Building Inspector:		
Joseph W. MacInnis, Salary	$ 1,980.00	
Auto Allowance	150.00	
Expense	73.87	
		2,203.87
Sealer Weights and Measures:		
James J. Devlin, Salary	$ 715.00	
Truck Allowance	200.00	
Other Expense	3.75	
		918.75
Dog Officer:		
George A. Bennett, Salary		660.00

Animal Inspector:		
George A. Bennett, Salary		330.00
Dog Licenses—Fees Paid to County Treasurer		2,295.80
Health Department:		
Salaries of Board:		
Wesley S. Goodwin, Chairman	$ 110.00	
Ned C. Loud	110.00	
Dr. Robert Dutton (check not delivered)	110.00	
		330.00
Department Expenses:		
David Martin, Health Officer	$ 550.00	
David Martin, Plumbing Inspector	550.00	
Lawrence E. Doucette, Milk and Food Inspector	550.00	
Nellie B. Russell, R.N.	1,683.50	
Allowances for Autos (3)	350.00	
Contagion	933.62	
Tuberculosis	3,384.41	
Telephone	73.65	
Milk Analyses	168.00	
Miscellaneous	524.42	
		9,097.60
Care of Dumps:		
John Joyce	$ 1,262.44	
George Welford	631.21	
Other Labor	48.40	
		1,942.05
Collection of Garbage:		
John J. Farpelha & Son	$ 2,600.00	
Frank L. Stevens	2,400.00	
		5,000.00
Highway Department:		
Robert B. MacKenna, Acting Superintendent	$ 3,000.00	
Mary MacDougall, Clerk	1,434.58	
Pension, Thomas Sullivan	294.51	
Labor—See Payroll	12,942.07	
Trucks and Auto Expense	109.00	
Patrol	935.08	
Equipment and Repairs	2,643.19	
Supplies	1,311.87	
Office Expense	107.84	
Buildings	327.58	
Clutch for "Marion" Shovel	841.36	

Boiler for Heating		587.95	
Patching, Tar and Sand		7,353.05	
Drainage		2,206.50	
All Other		1,211.07	
			35,305.65
Sidewalks and Curbing		3,204.76	
Snow and Ice Removal		7,629.13	
Chapter 90 Maintenance		3,000.00	
Albion Street Sidewalk		2,250.00	
Lakeside Sidewalk		1,536.18	
Atwood Street Construction		365.00	
Robert Street Construction		685.00	
Webster Street Construction		90.00	
Parking Area—Chestnut and Tuttle Streets:			
Construction	$ 922.82		
Rental	88.20	1,011.02	
			55,076.74
W. P. A.—Final Payments			31.00
Public Welfare Department:			
Salaries of Board:			
Harold C. Robinson, Chairman		$ 110.00	
Herbert D. Anderson, Secretary		110.00	
Peter Y. Myhre		110.00	
M. Leo Conway		110.00	
Helen M. Randall		110.00	
		$ 550.00	
Department Expenses and Disbursements:			
Etta C. Stoddard, Agent		1,721.50	
Dennis P. Hogan, Accountant		2,072.58	
Mary E. McKenna, Clerk		491.33	
Office Expense		404.07	
Auto Expense		239.12	
Rent		913.00	
Board		3,063.00	
Cash Aid		3,460.76	
Groceries and Provisions		1,882.81	
Shoes and Clothing		153.28	
Fuel		498.14	
Medical Attendance		653.16	
Hospital Care		1,885.15	
Relief by Other Cities		888.16	
All Other		277.98	
			19,154.04

Aid to Dependent Children:		
Recipients' Payrolls	$ 14,841.32	
Administrative Expense (not including clerical)	212.02	
		15,053.34
Welfare Unpaid Bills:		
For Year 1941	$ 2,447.88	
For Year 1942	537.38	
		2,985.26
From Willard Donnell Trust Fund		274.24
Old Age Assistance:		
Recipients' Payrolls	123,301.74	
Paid Other Cities and Town	1,063.95	
		124,365.69
Old Age Assistance Administration:		
Frank B. Gladwin, Investigator	$ 1,434.58	
Frank B. Gladwin, Allowance for Auto	240.00	
Alice Biggs, Clerk	931.34	
Nellie T. Hurton, Clerk	187.67	
Mary Cambareri, Clerk	42.25	
Other Office Expense	586.60	
		3,422.44
Old Age Assistance Reimbursements—Paid to State		241.33
Infirmary:		
Jerry J. Peck, Superintendent	$ 321.75	
James F. McKeon, Acting Superintendent	495.00	
Lena G. Peck, Matron	858.00	
Anna Meizwa	594.00	
Groceries and Provisions	2,290.36	
Dry Goods, Clothing	266.89	
Fuel and Light	893.23	
Care of Buildings	629.00	
Household Supplies	222.81	
Medical and Hospital Care	181.55	
Truck Expense and Gasoline	140.54	
Telephone	73.76	
Barbering	82.85	
Tobacco	93.30	
Water	172.00	
Horse Hire	98.00	
All Other	342.18	
		7,755.22
Soldiers' Benefits:		
Soldiers' Relief Agent—John Findlay, Jr., Salary		550.00

Soldiers' Relief Disbursements:			
Civil War Veterans		$ 130.30	
Spanish War Veterans		325.92	
World War Veterans		9,023.28	
			9,479.50
Soldiers' Relief Other Expenses			80.80
State Aid:			
Spanish War Veterans		$ 110.00	
World War Veterans		1,130.00	
World War No. 2		2,679.96	
			3,919.96
Military Aid:			
World War Veterans			946.00
School Department:			
Willard B. Atwell, Superintendent		$ 5,200.00	
Willard B. Atwell, Allowance for Auto		200.00	
Clerical Services:			
Pauline E. Meads	$ 1,759.88		
Doris Skinner	1,484.18		
Olive G. Glover	1,594.25		
		4,838.31	
Thomas F. Kenney, Agent		2,239.13	
J. William Burke, Physician		1,107.51	
Mary English, Nurse		1,607.15	
Telephones		604.28	
Office Expense		15.00	
Committee Expense		336.21	
Health		326.65	
Motor Vehicle Expense		581.06	
Books and Supplies:			
High School	$ 6,628.30		
Elementary	6,163.35		
		12,791.65	
Maintenance:			
High School	$ 3,636.28		
Elementary	6,080.26		
		9,716.54	
Teachers' Salaries:			
High School	$106,568.78		
Elementary	118,694.07		
		225,262.85	

Janitor Service:			
High School	$ 8,217.28		
Elementary	12,237.24		
		20,454.52	
Fuel and Light:			
High School	$ 5,930.98		
Elementary	7,468.43		
		13,399.41	
Transportation of Pupils		1,581.00	
Outlay		167.16	
Pension—Michael Neary		852.67	
Water Rates		532.48	
All Other		3,119.87	
			304,933.45
Trade Schools			1,493.19
Library Department:			
Helen Frances Carleton, Librarian		$ 2,600.00	
Assistants:			
H. Gladys MacKenzie		1,800.00	
Clara G. Wilson		1,750.00	
Violet E. Bostwick		1,168.13	
Ruth A. Ohler		1,110.58	
G. Louise Gibbons		1,059.60	
Constance F. Howe		688.18	
Etta F. Smith		650.00	
Other Assistants		2,449.50	
Janitors:			
Herbert T. Mitchell		1,980.00	
Other Janitors		378.00	
Department Expenses:			
Telephone		151.34	
Books		4,802.03	
Periodicals		511.66	
Binding		1,041.63	
Supplies		974.03	
Maintenance		675.22	
Furnishings		96.50	
Light		354.38	
Heat		747.29	
Montrose Branch		378.95	
Pension—Michael Neary		168.00	
All Other		279.99	
			25,815.01

Park and Cemetery Department:		
Salaries of Board:		
John W. MacGillivray, Chairman	$ 110.00	
William E. Packard, Secretary	91.67	
John T. Stringer	110.00	
George W. Abbott	18.33	
	$ 330.00	
Park Department Expenses:		
Arthur G. Abbott, Superintendent	$ 1,687.58	
Other Employees	1,698.11	
New Boat	157.11	
Motor for Boat	200.00	
Equipment	394.20	
Bath House, Expense	1,781.39	
Care of Lake	191.13	
Water	63.56	
Plants and Bulbs	70.70	
Playgrounds	435.36	
Spraying Trees	102.57	
Cutting Hay	73.50	
Painting Flag Poles and Band Stand	175.00	
Cleaning Civil War Monument	100.00	
Clerical Service	50.00	
All Other	64.37	
		7,574.58
Cemetery Department:		
Charles M. Lynch, Superintendent	$ 1,601.60	
Other Employees	1,790.92	
Plants and Seeds	64.20	
Truck Expense	142.50	
Equipment	142.74	
Loam, Fill and Grading	175.35	
All Other	128.81	
		4,046.12
Care of Old Cemetery:		
Payment—Charles Doyle, Contractor		100.00
From Cemetery Trust Funds		1,187.42
Recreation Commission:		
Supervisor, William D. Healey	$ 300.00	
Assistants	793.00	
Supplies	284.72	
Miscellaneous	122.24	
		1,499.96

Planning Board		18.84
Board of Appeals:		
Services and Expense		13.15
Finance Committee		84.75
Miscellaneous Account:		
Care Soldiers' Graves	$ 116.00	
Selectmen's Association—Dues and Expense	22.50	
State Ink	6.07	
Bubbler in Square	35.00	
Perambulating Town Lines	30.00	
Rationing Board	430.92	
Examination Veteran's Retirement	15.00	
Hanging Service Flag	18.80	
War Risk Insurance	2,087.55	
All Other	3.57	
		2,765.41
Street Lights		20,000.00
Aid to Visiting Nurse Association		500.00
Rifle Range, Company F, State Guard		204.01
Memorial Day—War Veterans		733.01
Armistice Day—American Legion		45.75
Middlesex County Hospital		9,510.67
Middlesex County Tax		25,669.99
Retirement System—Pension Fund		22,240.75
Retirement System—Expense Fund		774.00
Fire and Liability Insurance		5,714.99
Civilian Defense		817.00
Officer Maloney Reimbursement		435.00
Drainage Easement		25.00
300th Anniversary Committee		51.55
Investment U. S. War Bonds		20,000.00
State and Metropolitan Charges		44,377.85
Collector of Internal Revenue:		
Federal Tax Deductions		29,282.78
Light Department:		
Salaries of Board:		
Marcus Beebe 2nd, Chairman	$ 110.00	
Curtis L. Sopher	110.00	
Theodore Eaton	110.00	
	$ 330.00	
James M. Whitehead, Manager	$ 4,113.34	
Leonard H. DeMarco, Office Manager	3,070.01	
Fred F. Fober	2,179.38	
Fred L. Rich	1,872.30	

Edward R. Chambers	2,090.87	
Hugh M. Kelso	1,966.39	
Myrtle I. Tyler	1,634.71	
Robert Hurton	1,404.75	
Thomas R. Daley	1,807.58	
John W. MacGillivray	1,935.31	
George E. Halloran	2,675.52	
C. Orne Bayrd	770.17	
John Scanlon	1,443.18	
Labor—See Payroll	46,539.02	
Materials and Supplies	3,865.08	
Rent	480.00	
Purchase of Building No. 9 Albion Street	26,500.00	
Office Expense	3,943.47	
Telephones	542.89	
Meters and Transformers	4,005.59	
Motor Vehicle Expense	2,451.14	
Gas Purchased	57,959.89	
Current Purchased	117,529.51	
Tools and Equipment	56.19	
Maintenance	2,037.29	
Coal	966.06	
Advertising	497.00	
Insurance	2,012.72	
All Other	3,159.50	
		299,838.86
Light Bonds	$ 7,000.00	
Light Interest	361.87	
		7,361.87

Water and Sewerage Department:

Salaries of Board:

William B. Stantial, Chairman, resigned	$ 73.33	
Sidney F. Adams, Chairman	110.00	
George O. Sheldon	110.00	
John N. Bill	35.00	
	$ 328.33	

Water Department:

Morrison Merrill, Supt. (part of salary)	$ 2,892.35	
Leah F. Kinder, Clerk (part of salary)	1,639.55	
Katherine C. Workman (part of salary)	688.60	
Eleanor Waterhouse	604.26	
Other Clerks	165.04	
Carl W. Sunman, Collector (part of salary)	550.00	
Labor—See Payroll	19,269.54	
Office Expense	617.99	

Telephone		226.99	
Meters, Pipes, etc.		6,894.72	
Equipment and Repairs		1,669.98	
Transportation Expense		1,039.82	
Fuel		1,372.49	
Power		8,501.69	
Water Analyses		250.00	
Public Liability Insurance		175.11	
Taxes—Stoneham		294.80	
All Other		363.05	
Water Services		1,659.01	
Water Supply Addition—Bond Issue:			
Warner Bros. & Goodwin Inc., Balance on Contract	$ 4,896.20		
Ralph P. Hall, Inc.—Contract	3,460.43		
Purchase of Land	75.00		
Other Labor and Materials	6,143.33		
		14,574.96	
Water Mains Extensions—Bond Issue:			
Renssaeler Valve Co.		45.51	
Lake Quannapowitt		20.26	
			63,844.05
Water Bonds			29,000.00
Water Interest			3,235.00
Sewer Department:			
Morrison Merrill, Supt. (part of salary)		$ 307.65	
Leah F. Kinder, Clerk (part of salary)		217.80	
Katherine C. Workman (part of salary)		106.70	
Eleanor Waterhouse (part of salary)		44.00	
Carl W. Sunman, Paymaster (part of salary)		55.00	
Labor—See Payroll		4,518.36	
Tools and Equipment		47.01	
Motor Vehicle Expense		191.37	
Sewer Cleaning Equipment		490.05	
All Other		1,188.34	
			7,166.28
Sewer Connections:			
Labor—See Payroll		$ 961.53	
Pipe		646.83	
Motor Vehicle Expense		68.63	
All Other		59.00	
			1,735.99

Interest:			
Sewer Bonds		$ 1,758.12	
Highway Loans		157.50	
School Loans		201.87	
Discount on Temporary Loans		1,188.07	
			3,305.56
Maturing Debt:			
Sewer Bonds		$ 15,500.00	
Highway Bonds		2,000.00	
School Bonds		9,500.00	
			27,000.00
Temporary Loans:			
Anticipation of Revenue		$400,000.00	
Anticipation Highway Reimbursement		2,000.00	
			402,000.00
Refunds:			
Taxes—Property and Poll		$ 2,422.62	
Motor Vehicle Excise		195.68	
Sewer Connection Deposits		475.81	
Water Rates		59.32	
Special Assessments		45.72	
Interest and Costs		.35	
Collector—Overpayment		270.00	
All Other		.95	
			3,470.45
Agency and Trust:			
Sweetser Lecture Fund, Income Paid to Sweetser Lecture Committee		$ 213.64	
Annie L. Cox Scholarship Fund:			
Payments:			
Sylvia Capone	$ 75.00		
Josephine M. Caiani	75.00		
		150.00	
			363.64
In Escrow for Investment—Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds:			
Payments to John I. Preston, Treasurer			2,660.00
Total Payments			$1,799,273.67
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1943			608,013.37
Total Payments and Cash on Hand, December 31, 1943			$2,407,287.04

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT PAYROLL 1943

Robert B. MacKenna, Acting Supt.	$ 3,000.00
Carl Chelman	2,070.42
Edmund Muise	1,977.32
Joseph Albani	1,951.58
John Doherty	1,841.50
William Fall	1,814.46
Joseph Fazio, Jr.	1,805.45
Salvatore Terravecchia	1,747.71
Ralph Flannigan	1,694.99
Edward Butler	1,666.53
Fred Doucette	1,645.88
Angelo DeFeo	1,629.22
Louis Evans	1,612.57
Robert Black	1,525.01
Frank Dulong	1,457.45
Mary MacDougall, Clerk	1,434.58
Paul DiDonato	1,398.40
Daniel Benjamin	1,373.57
Alfred Sava	775.63
Thomas Sullivan	640.57
Concetto Serafino	458.85
Nick Benedetto	338.32
William Peard	278.25
All Others (Less than $200.00)	3,297.70
Total Payrolls	$ 37,435.96

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT PAYROLL—1943

Willard B. Atwell	$ 5,200.00
Charles J. Peterson	4,722.34
Roland H. Kinder	3,692.46
Joseph H. Fanck	3,521.65
William D. Healey	3,516.63
Eliot B. Leonard	3,315.68
W. Harold Rood	3,248.66
Arthur A. Fulton	3,215.20
Howard J. Heavens	3,215.20
Raymond S. Dower	3,205.15
T. Frank Shea	3,114.72
Jules I. Philie	3,095.00
R. Edgar Fisher	3,032.65
Bernice L. Caswell	2,913.77
Louis P. Marche	2,788.18
Myron E. Gallop	2,736.72
Thomas C. Murray	2,712.82

Alfred E. Preble	2,712.82
Donald White	2,712.82
S. Morton Sherman	2,704.77
M. Leo Conway	2,449.54
Helen F. Gilmore	2,336.03
M. Alice Ryan	2,336.03
Elvira C. Cosman	2,260.68
Ruth F. Hiatt	2,260.68
Isabel M. Hirst	2,260.68
Ethel G. Reed	2,260.68
Thomas F. Kenney	2,239.13
John M. Hennessey	2,220.27
A. Louise Allman	2,195.69
Richard E. Giles	2,177.32
Margaret L. Macdonald	2,162.12
Lyman E. Allen	2,121.00
Chester I. Hopkins	2,107.45
Marjorie T. Bunker	2,099.88
Ellen L. Cowing	2,099.88
Harriet D. Dunning	2,099.88
Eleanor M. Gleason	2,099.88
Janet S. Height	2,099.88
Anne H. Meserve	2,099.88
Ethelyn M. Pattee	2,099.88
Eleanor B. Ringdahl	2,099.88
Louise E. Sheldon	2,099.88
Ethel M. Wilson	2,083.78
Eleanor K. Abbott	2,081.80
Edward E. Eaton	2,076.18
Bernice E. Hendrickson	2,072.24
Irene F. Norton	2,072.24
Blanche L. Meserve	2,059.99
Mary E. C. Geagan	2,042.81
Bessie E. David	1,998.52
Edward T. Clothey	1,995.81
Elizabeth D. Burke	1,989.50
Maude E. Parks	1,989.50
Lydia M. Sullivan	1,989.50
Hester A. Walker	1,989.50
Hazel O. Wilder	1,940.66
Lillian A. Shaffer	1,930.40
Walter E. Antunes	1,919.74
Mabel A. Kernan	1,917.19
Alice E. Ladieu	1,915.29
Ruth V. Conley	1,915.26
Signe M. Peterson	1,906.58
Ruth B. Spence	1,906.58
Amanda J. Stephenson	1,906.58

Cora Guarnaccia	1,902.48
Laura A. Hart	1,902.07
G. Fred Dodge	1,900.12
Sally C. King	1,888.80
Bernice O. Bazley	1,823.66
Stella H. Blaikie	1,823.66
Alice E. Calkins	1,823.66
Helen M. Delaney	1,823.66
Catherine A. Doran	1,823.66
Hilda M. Hayden	1,823.66
Mabel F. Johnson	1,823.66
Avis M. Jones	1,823.66
Beatrice M. Moody	1,823.66
Edna M. Paulson	1,823.66
Elizabeth M. Strout	1,823.66
Winifred R. Beal	1,819.74
Winifred Geizer	1,819.35
Bella A. Rattray	1,819.35
Lillian J. Shoff	1,815.82
Grace E. Widtfeldt	1,815.03
Katheryn D. Carney	1,812.88
Lee Pfeiffer	1,807.58
Lois I. Jordon	1,803.26
Ruth C. Webber	1,802.09
Elizabeth V. Upham	1,794.78
Margaret M. Landers	1,782.86
Abbie A. Bell	1,767.55
Pauline E. Meads	1,759.88
A. Christine Callan	1,740.43
William Piscione	1,727.50
Theresa J. Walsh	1,707.11
Katharine Nichols	1,689.94
Nancy D'Amico	1,643.35
Thomas Hemsworth	1,632.56
Clareberta Wilson Howard	1,612.09
Mary K. English	1,607.15
Olive G. Glover	1,594.25
Grace A. Jenkins	1,574.58
Francis H. Goldsmith	1,567.59
Irja E. Hykkyri	1,524.10
Dorothy L. Shepard	1,510.46
Genesta B. Tooker	1,488.34
Doris Skinner	1,484.18
Constance M. Doyle	1,469.86
Helen E. Pendergast	1,433.54
Gladys M. Douglass	1,401.84
Mary T. Bonney	1,398.87
Mary E. Grace	1,389.94

Carrie M. Agry	1,288.36
John H. Fletcher	1,275.41
Virginia A. Bauer	1,270.75
Mary M. Harrington	1,263.44
Margaret A. Conway	1,218.93
Ruth E. Cronin	1,180.18
J. William Burke	1,107.51
Edythe M. Baxter	1,034.48
Emma L. Lane	1,019.30
Flora H. Kite	1,019.14
Mary P. O'Connell	978.96
Susie L. Rich	977.12
Carl A. Peterson	873.80
Michael Neary—Pension	852.67
Sol Verdun	847.00
Dorothy E. Petersen	738.47
Rita N. Keady	712.39
Nita G. Tumblin	630.80
Lilla J. Ryan	613.80
Axel Nelson	586.44
Marjorie F. Moore	432.90
Alice M. Scipione	432.59
Alice V. Gerrish	384.75
Dorothy F. Linder	368.50
Annie E. Welford	360.14
Edith H. Johnson	343.50
Carl L. Paulson	321.38
Adelaide A. Shedd	277.00
Winifred P. Whittaker	225.00
Gray B. Brockbank	204.00
Robert B. MacKenna	204.00
Various persons—(Under $200.00)	1,904.35
	$266,581.75
Check drawn, but not given out	29.84
	$266,611.59

Persons receiving less than $200.00:

John Manning	$ 170.50
Margaret M. McGonagle	165.44
Hazel M. Davis	161.25
Joseph Cassano	160.62
Louise W. Benson	124.80
Grace P. Fall	106.25
Clarence Meuse	100.00
Francis Gutro	96.84
Valerie L. Fish	91.25
Michael J. Hallissey	88.20

Joseph A. Gutro	79.30
Agnes Burkhart	72.00
Clara Brown	68.75
Gladys H. Goodwin	68.75
Marion H. Santoro	66.00
Bertha Williams	47.14
Ellen M. Ashenden	36.00
Donald Weyland	30.80
Jean W. Beebe	30.25
Joseph A. Robbins	28.00
Mary P. Walen	24.75
Joseph A. Albani	22.28
Ruth Graham	22.00
Mary B. Pettipost	16.50
Frank Knapp	7.90
Joseph Fazio	5.78
Salvatore Terravecchia	5.78
Lawrence Brown	3.50
Joseph Gentile	2.20
John W. Doherty	1.52
	$ 1,904.35

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT PAYROLL—1943

Morrison Merrill	$ 3,200.00
William L. Wenzel	2,234.50
James L. Palmer	2,105.95
John R. Fraughton	2,006.70
Frank A. Butler	1,988.98
Leah F. Kinder	1,857.35
Patrick Keeffe	1,844.80
Albert F. Funk	1,843.75
James J. Murphy	1,784.64
Serafino Volpe	1,782.06
Dominic Bennedetto	1,777.38
Daniel Calore	1,683.10
John W. Muse	1,653.70
Sabatino Confalone	1,630.85
Edmund M. Deveau	1,620.96
Frank Confalone	1,590.36
William F. Greany	1,509.20
Patrick Moynihan	1,092.69
Katherine M. Workman	795.30
Eleanor G. Waterhouse	648.26

Frank Deniso	524.47
Chester W. Dalrymple	523.60
Various Persons—Under $500.00 each	2,513.18
Total	$ 38,211.78

MUNICIPAL LIGHT DEPARTMENT PAYROLL—1943

J. M. Whitehead, Mgr.	$ 4,113.34
L. H. DeMarco	3,070.01
F. F. Fober	2,179.38
E. R. Chambers	2,090.87
F. L. Rich	1,872.30
H. M. Kelso	1,966.39
M. I. Tyler	1,634.71
Robert Hurton	1,404.75
T. R. Daley	1,807.58
J. W. MacGillivray	1,935.31
G. E. Halloran	2,675.52
W. D. Scott	2,283.13
Harold Buxton	1,752.09
Charles L. Sullivan	1,648.32
Alexander McPhee	2,625.56
James Cameron	2,029.25
F. L. Champagne	2,470.06
Roger J. Seabury	2,492.60
William Muse	2,356.34
M. J. Burns	1,978.85
John Curran	2,449.27
Michael Hourihan	1,972.23
Patrick Quinn	2,259.48
Daniel Flynn	1,935.39
James McGrath	2,014.31
Joseph DeMarco	2,027.02
Thomas Hanright	1,899.31
John Collins	1,807.57
Timothy Delaney	1,746.24
Edward J. Lennon	1,463.27
Patrick Meade	1,738.00
John Mohla	1,667.38
James Malonson	1,734.93
John Scanlon	1,443.18
C. O. Bayrd	770.17
Peter Curley	643.34
Various	1,545.08
	$ 73,502.53

UNPAID BILLS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1943

Welfare Department—Outside Relief		
Unpaid Bills for 1939:		
City of Boston		$ 455.96
Unpaid Bills for 1940:		
City of Boston		$ 502.20
Unpaid Bills for 1942:		
City of Lynn	17.00	
City of Medford	124.33	
		$ 141.33

APPROPRIATIONS AND CHARGES TO ENTER THE TAX LEVY—1943

Appropriations (See Schedule)		$958,981.79
Less Transferred from Overlay Surplus	$ 22,000.00	
Less Appropriation from Sale of Lots and Graves Cemetery	2,590.00	
		24,590.00
		$934,391.79
State and Metropolitan Charges:		
State Tax	$ 17,100.00	
Auditing Municipal Accounts	120.04	
Examination Retirement System	110.40	
Smoke Inspection Service	387.46	
Charles River Basin	1,844.16	
Metropolitan Parks Reservations	4,057.79	
Metropolitan Parks Boulevards	671.61	
Nantasket Beach Maintenance	350.13	
Metropolitan Sewerage North System	19,105.41	
		43,747.00
County Tax		24,329.91
Abatements on Taxes for Year 1923		1.53
Overlay for 1943		17,626.20
		$1,020,096.43

RECAPITULATION

Town Purposes	$924,881.12	
State Purposes	43,747.00	
County Tax	24,329.91	
Hospital Tax	9,510.67	
Abatements Town Taxes	1.53	
Overlay 1943	17,626.20	
		$1,020,096.43

AVAILABLE BALANCES NOT APPROPRIATED IN 1943

Lafayette Building Carpenter Repairs:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 43.00
Payments	$ 43.00	
	$ 43.00	$ 43.00
Central Fire Station Repairs:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 178.53
Appropriation 1943		600.00
Payments	$ 778.53	
	$ 778.53	$ 778.53
Greenwood Fire Station Repairs:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 432.86
Payments	$ 178.98	
Balance to 1944	253.88	
	$ 432.86	$ 432.86
Tree Warden—Shade Trees:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 100.00
Payments	$ 100.00	
	$ 100.00	$ 100.00
Lakeside Sidewalk:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 36.18
Appropriation 1943		1,500.00
Payments	$ 1,536.18	
	$ 1,536.18	$ 1,536.18
Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance 1942:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 1,138.43
Adjustment State and County Aid	$ 681.34	
Appropriations to Street Construction	457.09	
	$ 1,138.43	$ 1,138.43
Drainage Easements:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 25.00
Payments	$ 25.00	
	$ 25.00	$ 25.00

Parking Area (B. & M. Railroad) Construction:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 922.82
Payments	$ 922.82	
	$ 922.82	$ 922.82
W. P. A. General Funds:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 1,306.02
Payments	$ 31.00	
Transfer to Revenue	1,275.02	
	$ 1,306.02	$ 1,306.02
Old Age Assistance Federal Grant:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 5,331.78
Receipts		53,151.28
Refunds		1,769.83
Adjustments on account reimbursements		305.00
Payments	$ 55,365.69	
Adjustment on Account reimbursement	169.00	
Balance to 1944	5,023.20	
	$ 60,557.89	$ 60,557.89
Old Age Assistance Administration Federal Grant:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 310.70
Receipts		1,771.60
Payments	$ 1,952.44	
Balance to 1944	129.86	
	$ 2,082.30	$ 2,082.30
Aid to Dependent Children—Federal Funds:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 3,297.48
Receipts		4,290.05
Refund		18.30
Payments	$ 4,749.05	
Balance to 1944	2,856.78	
	$ 7,605.83	$ 7,605.83
Aid to Dependent Children Administration—Federal Grant:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 222.11
Receipts		1,207.23
Payments	$ 703.74	
Balance to 1944	725.60	
	$ 1,429.34	$ 1,429.34

Reserve Fund:		
Appropriation from Overlay Surplus		$ 22,000.00
Transfers to:		
Miscellaneous Account	$ 2,100.00	
Highway Expense	1,450.00	
Fire Department Expense	696.00	
Park Department Expense	350.00	
Lafayette Building Expense	225.00	
Transfer Back to Overlay Surplus	17,179.00	
	$ 22,000.00	$ 22,000.00
Dog Licenses:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 27.60
Receipts		2,298.20
Payments to County Treasurer	$ 2,295.80	
Balance to 1944	30.00	
	$ 2,325.80	$ 2,325.80
Civilian Defense:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 3,286.70
Appropriation 1943		1,000.00
Payments	$ 817.00	
Balance to 1944	3,469.70	
	$ 4,286.70	$ 4,286.70
Willard Donnell Trust:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 690.24
Income for 1943		316.21
Payments	$ 274.24	
Balance Available for 1944	732.21	
	$ 1,006.45	$ 1,006.45
Sewer Construction—Meriam Street, Robin Road		
Balance January 1, 1943		18.52
No Payments in 1943		
Sewer Construction—Robert Street		
Balance January 1, 1943		330.14
No Payments in 1943		
Sewer Construction—Forest Street		
Balance January 1, 1943		330.01
No Payments in 1943		
Sewer Construction—Stedman Street		
Balance January 1, 1943		83.87
No Payments in 1943		

Water Mains Relaying—Bond Issue		
Balance January 1, 1943		150.23
No Payments in 1943		
Water Supply Addition—Bond Issue		
Balance January 1, 1943		17,638.01
Payments	$ 14,574.96	
Balance to 1944	3,063.05	
	$ 17,638.01	$ 17,638.01
Water Mains Extensions—Bond Issue		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 2,282.93
Payments	$ 45.51	
Balance to 1944	2,237.42	
	$ 2,282.93	$ 2,282.93
Temporary Loans—Anticipation of Revenue		
Balance January 1, 1943		$200,000.00
Loans During 1943		400,000.00
Payments During 1943	$400,000.00	
Balance to 1944	200,000.00	
	$600,000.00	$600,000.00
Temporary Loans—Anticipation Highway Re-imbursement		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 2,000.00
Loans During 1943		2,000.00
Payments During 1943	$ 2,000.00	
Balance to 1944	2,000.00	
	$ 4,000.00	$ 4,000.00
Sale of Real Estate		
Balance January 1, 1943		1,426.00
No Transactions in 1943		
Sale of Lots and Graves—Cemetery		
Balance January 1, 1943		5,183.00
Receipts for 1943		2,162.00
Appropriation for Cemetery Department	$ 2,590.00	
Balance Available for Appropriation	4,755.00	
	$ 7,345.00	$ 7,345.00

Old Age Assistance Re-imbursements:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 420.00
Amount Set Up 1940-41		247.00
Receipts in 1943		422.67
Apportioned for Federal Grant	$ 305.00	
Adjustment to E. & D. Account	120.67	
Payments to State	241.33	
Balance to 1944	422.67	
	$ 1,089.67	$ 1,089.67
Analyses of Light Department Accounts:		
Operation Account:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 42,755.94
Receipts for 1943		390,289.14
Transfers from Depreciation		6,136.30
Transfers from Fire Alarm Account		1,193.22
Transfers from Reserve Fund for Defense		2,659.11
Payments	$280,700.73	
Transfer to Revenue	35,000.00	
Transfer to Reserve Fund Defense	7,755.94	
Transfers to Depreciation Account	55,384.66	
Balance to 1944 Account	64,192.38	
	$443,033.71	$443,033.71
Reserve Fund for Defense and Protection of Plant:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 721.04
Transfer from Operation Account 1942		7,755.94
Transfers to Operation Account 1943	$ 2,659.11	
Balance to 1944 Account	5,817.87	
	$ 8,476.98	$ 8,476.98
Depreciation Account:		
Balance January 1, 1943		$ 76,899.05
Transfers from Operation Account		55,384.66
Purchase New Building	$ 26,500.00	
Transfers to Operation Account	6,136.30	
Balance to 1944 Account	99,647.41	
	$132,283.71	$132,283.71
Fire Alarm, Police Signal, Traffic Lights:		
Appropriation		$ 2,000.00
Transfers to Light Dept. Operation Account	$ 1,193.23	
Balance to Revenue	806.78	
	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,000.00

Guarantee Deposits Account:

Cash on Hand January 1, 1943	$ 54,580.20	
Receipts	8,342.10	
Payments		$ 6,518.12
Balance, Cash on Hand, December 31, 1943		56,404.18
	$ 62,922.30	$ 62,922.30

I have examined the above account and the balance is invested as follows:

Wakefield Savings Bank	$ 37,793.10
Wakefield Trust Company—Savings Department	13,418.72
Wakefield Trust Company—Checking Account	5,192.36
	$ 56,404.18

CHARLES C. COX,
Town Accountant

RECEIVABLES—Balances as of December 31, 1943

Taxes 1936	$ 17.60	
Taxes 1937	24.61	
Taxes 1938	81.35	
Real Estate Tax 1942	15,348.78	
Real Estate Tax 1943	70,355.66	
Personal Property Tax 1939	50.76	
Personal Property Tax 1940	109.22	
Personal Property Tax 1941	161.53	
Personal Property Tax 1942	437.76	
Personal Property Tax 1943	1,512.00	
Poll Tax 1936	18.00	
Poll Tax 1937	28.00	
Poll Tax 1938	28.00	
Poll Tax 1939	32.00	
Poll Tax 1940	82.00	
Poll Tax 1941	60.00	
Poll Tax 1942	60.00	
Poll Tax 1943	94.00	
Excise Tax 1936	107.23	
Excise Tax 1937	176.88	
Excise Tax 1938	30.64	
Excise Tax 1939	45.28	
Excise Tax 1940	66.33	
Excise Tax 1941	46.49	
Excise Tax 1942	21.58	
Excise Tax 1943	594.31	
		$ 89,590.01

Betterment Assessments 1942	$ 371.99	
Betterment Assessments 1943	1,057.77	
Sewer Assessments 1942	74.03	
Sewer Assessments 1943	701.89	
Moth Assessments 1942	23.00	
Moth Assessments 1943	265.79	
Sewer Assessments Not Apportioned	3,991.80	
Betterment Assessments Not Apportioned	1,139.41	
Sewer Assessments Apportioned	26,179.75	
Betterment Assessments Apportioned	32,971.83	
Committed Interest 1942	112.07	
Committed Interest 1943	431.98	
		67,321.31
Departmental Accounts:		
School Department	$ 8,187.48	
Welfare Department Temporary Aid	450.55	
Welfare Department Old Age Assistance	1,827.75	
Welfare Department Aid Dependent Children	2,544.56	
Health Department	7,480.75	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts—State Aid	3,520.35	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Military Aid	450.50	
Light Department	25,359.49	
Water Department—Water Rates	772.95	
Water Department—Water Services	364.01	
		50,958.39
State Aid—Highways	$ 296.45	
County Aid—Highways	296.45	
		592.90

OTHER BALANCES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1943

Overlay 1936	$ 35.60	
Overlay 1937	52.61	
Overlay 1938	109.35	
Overlay 1939	82.76	
Overlay 1940	191.23	
Overlay 1941	221.53	
Overlay 1942	13,836.65	
Overlay 1943	8,025.06	
		22,554.79
Overlay Surplus Reserve Fund:		
Balance January 1, 1943		22,316.59
Audit Entry—Adjustments		940.32
Appropriation to Reserve Fund	$ 22,000.00	
Transfers to Overlay 1932-34-35-37	83.01	
Audit Entry Adjustment	18.17	

Transfers from Overlay 1936-38-39-40-41		5,537.48
Transfer Back From Reserve Fund		17,179.00
Balance December 31, 1943	23,872.21	
	$ 45,973.39	$ 45,973.39
Tax Titles:		
Outstanding January 1, 1943	$ 80,846.34	
Certificate of Tax Takings	1,545.94	
Credits to Collector	7,113.22	
Audit Entries—Adjustments	122.55	
Abatements		653.47
Audit Entry Adjustment		23.11
Treasurer's Credit Adjustment		6.51
Cash		5,926.90
Outstanding December 31, 1943		83,018.06
	$ 89,628.05	$ 89,628.05
Tax Title Possessions:		
Outstanding January 1, 1943	$ 2,009.07	
Audit Entry Adjustment	30.00	
Outstanding December 31, 1943		2,039.07
	$ 2,039.07	$ 2,039.07
Sewer Connection Deposits:		
Cash Balance January 1, 1943		56.63
Cash Received		1,905.61
Cost of Connections	$ 1,466.43	
Cash Returned	475.81	
Balance Cash on Hand, December 31, 1943	20.00	
	$ 1,962.24	$ 1,962.24
Excess and Deficiency:		
Balance January 1, 1943		189,384.05
Adjustments—O. A. A. Reimbursements		120.67
Checks 1937 and Prior Not Paid		375.11
Tax Title Abatements		653.47
Audit Entries—Adjustments		25.12
Tax Title Redemptions		5,926.90
Adjustments O. A. A. Reimbursements	78.00	
Adjustment Water Maintenance 1942	8.45	
Audit Entry Adjustment	.47	
Certificates of Tax Takings	1,241.39	
Credits to Collector	6,327.69	
Excess Revenue for 1943		57,191.87
Balance December 31, 1943	246,021.19	
	$253,677.19	$253,677.19

Trust Fund Account

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1943	$ 62,515.93	
Funds Set Up in 1943	2,660.00	
Interest for 1943	1,315.88	
Interest Transferred to Library		$ 304.50
Interest Transferred to Park Department		65.35
Payments 1943		1,551.06
Cash on Hand December 31, 1943		64,570.90
	$ 66,491.81	$ 66,491.81

ANALYSIS

Name of Fund	Trust Fund	Accumulated Interest Jan. 1, 1943	Interest 1943	Payment or transfers 1943	Funds and Interest Dec. 31, 1943
Total of all funds as reported January 1, 1943 For details see Treasurer's Report.	$ 57,536.26	$ 4,979.67	$ 1,314.59	$ 1,920.28	$ 61,910.24
New Funds Set up in 1943:					
Elizabeth M. Astle	80.00				80.00
William Blanchard	120.00				120.00
Edward J. Brophy	80.00				80.00
Edith Buck	20.00				20.00
Harold H. and Dorothy A. Cotton	80.00				80.00
Annie Cusato	75.00				75.00
Marion Cook	40.00				40.00
Frank Caruso	40.00				40.00
John Cotton	40.00				40.00

Esther Deveau	30.00	.25	.25	30.00
Katherine Dulong	40.00			40.00
Everett Dinsmore	80.00			80.00
Louis Evangelista	120.00			120.00
Peter J. Fillis	40.00			40.00
Mary M. Grady	75.00			75.00
Mae S. Hemsworth	50.00			50.00
Jennie M. Hopkins	40.00			40.00
Julia Heustis	40.00			40.00
Irving A. Hadley	75.00			75.00
Joseph B. Hatch	80.00			80.00
Catherine M. Hourihan	40.00			40.00
Mae Ingalls	15.00			15.00
Eben E. Keane	40.00			40.00
Charles Laskey	15.00			15.00
Frances Muse	10.00	.07	.07	10.00
Albert McWhinnie	50.00			50.00
Louis J. Muise	20.00			20.00
S. J. Malonson	20.00			20.00
Harry Mortimer	20.00			20.00
A. C. Morrill	80.00			80.00
G. Earl McIntosh	50.00			50.00
Michael M. Neary	25.00	.21	.21	25.00
Jacob Nicol	15.00	.10	.10	15.00
John L. Neiss	80.00			80.00
Warren E. North	80.00			80.00
John O'Connor	50.00			50.00
George W. Phelps	50.00			50.00
James Roberto	30.00			30.00
Filomena Radocchio	80.00			80.00

1943 Indebtedness Account

Outstanding January 1, 1943	$294,000.00	
Payments 1943		$ 63,000.00
Outstanding December 31, 1943		231,000.00
	$294,000.00	$294,000.00

RECAPITULATION

Sewers	$ 68,000.00
Highways	8,000.00
Light	4,000.00
Water	151,000.00
	$231,000.00

INDEBTEDNESS ACCOUNT — DUE 1944 TO 1954 INCLUSIVE

	Loans Outstanding Dec. 31, 1943	Due 1944	Due 1945	Due 1946	Due 1947	Due 1948	Due 1949	Due 1950	Due 1951	Due 1952	Due 1953	Due 1954
Sewer Loan 1924	$ 6,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000					
Sewer Loan 1925	7,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000				
Sewer Loan 1929	4,000	4,000										
Sewer Loan 1937	18,000	4,500	4,500	4,500	4,500							
Sewer Loan 1940	33,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	3,000				
Street Loan	8,000	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000							
Water Loan 1925	1,000	1,000										
Water Loan 1927	32,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000							
Water Loan 1930	2,000	1,000	1,000									
Water Mains Relaying Loan 1939	34,000	4,000	4,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,000
Water Mains Relaying Loan 1940	35,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000				
Water Mains Ext. Loan 1939	1,000	1,000										
Water Mains Ext. Loan 1940	2,000	1,000	1,000									
Water Loans 1942	40,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	3,000	2,000		
Water Mains Ext. Loan 1942	4,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000							
Light Dept. Loan 1924	2,000	2,000										
Light Dept. Loan 1925	2,000	1,000	1,000									
	$231,000	$47,500	$39,500	$35,500	$35,500	$20,000	$20,000	$17,000	$6,000	$5,000	$3,000	$2,000

Francis Sheehy	15.00		.13		15.13
Joseph Snay	15.00		.13		15.13
Ethel E. Sibley	30.00		.20		30.20
Frank S. Stamegna	50.00				50.00
Jennie M. Smith	30.00				30.00
Annie E. Surette	40.00				40.00
Anna Surette	40.00				40.00
Cora A. Smith	40.00				40.00
Sorcorso M. Storti	120.00				120.00
Anthony N. Stamegna	80.00				80.00
Florence Smith	60.00				60.00
Mary Thomson	30.00		.20		30.20
Charles W. Wilson	15.00				15.00
Maurice F. and Agnes T. Walsh	50.00				50.00
Louis H. Young	15.00				15.00
Louis H. Young	15.00				15.00
	$ 60,196.26	$ 4,979.67	$ 1,315.88	$ 1,920.91	$ 64,570.90

Appropriation Accounts 1943

	Appro-priations	Additions	Expended	Balances
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
Moderator	$ 27.50		$ 27.50	
Selectmen—Salaries of Board	550.00		550.00	
Salary of Clerk	525.00		525.00	
Other Expense	1,613.00		1,491.08	$ 121.92
Accounting—Salary of Accountant	2,850.00		2,850.00	
Salary of Clerk	615.00		615.00	
Other Expense	440.00		349.56	90.44
Treasurer—Salary of Treasurer	1,100.00		1,100.00	
Salary of Paymaster	450.00		450.00	
Tax Titles	1,000.00		328.96	671.04
Other Expense	1,900.00		1,143.20	756.80
Collector—Salary of Collector	1,700.00		1,700.00	
Salaries of Clerks	1,984.58		1,984.58	
Other Expense	1,575.00		1,560.79	14.21
Assessors—Salaries of Board	3,190.00		3,190.00	
Auto Allowance	125.00		123.25	1.75
Salaries of Clerks	4,418.51		4,147.36	271.15
Other Expense	525.00		450.00	75.00
Legal Dept.—Salary of Town Counsel	1,200.00		1,200.00	
Other Expense	1,000.00		238.35	761.65
Town Clerk—Salary of Town Clerk	2,200.00		2,200.00	
Clerk Hire	972.40		972.40	
Other Expense	400.00		376.31	23.69
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00	

Election and Registration					
Salaries of Registrars	467.50			455.00	12.50
Other Expense	2,340.00			2,296.50	43.50
Election Officers	563.20			495.00	68.20
Election Expense	142.00			111.44	30.56
Town Hall—Salaries of Janitors	2,860.00			2,827.76	32.24
Other Expense	3,161.00			3,141.83	19.17
Lafayette Building—Salaries of Janitors	1,660.00			1,616.06	43.94
Other Expense	2,034.00	R$	225.00	2,227.46	31.54
Carpenter and Painting—Special		B	43.00	43.00	
	$ 43,688.69		$ 268.00	$ 40,887.39	$ 3,069.30
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:					
Police —Salary of Chief	$ 3,200.00			$ 3,200.00	
Salary of Lieutenant	2,900.00			2,900.00	
Salaries of Sergeants	5,200.00			5,200.00	
Salaries of Regular Patrolmen	31,070.00			29,891.30	$ 1,178.70
Salary of Clerk	1,147.67			1,147.67	
Pensions—Stanley and Rowe	2,190.00			H 682.91	
				1,503.00	4.09
Other Expense	5,929.00			4,792.53	1,136.47
Fire—Salary of Chief	2,900.00			2,900.00	
Salary of Captain	2,600.00			2,600.00	
Salary of Lieutenant	2,475.00			2,475.00	
Salaries of Regular Firemen	26,290.00			26,172.10	117.90
Other Expense	7,892.50	R$	696.00	8,216.08	372.42
Central Station—Repairs	600.00	B	178.53	778.53	
Greenwood Station—Repairs		B	432.86	178.98	253.88

Hydrant Rental	9,550.00		9,550.00	
Moth—Salary of Supt.	2,500.00		2,500.00	
Wages—Other Employees	4,730.00		4,615.32	114.68
Other Expense	1,150.00		1,052.45	97.55
Tree Warden—Shade Trees		B 100.00	100.00	
Building Inspector—Salary	1,980.00		1,980.00	
Auto Allowance	150.00		150.00	
Other Expense	75.00		73.87	1.13
Sealer Weights and Measures—Salary	715.00		715.00	
Truck Allowance	200.00		200.00	
Other Expense	25.00		3.75	21.25
Dog Officer—Salary	660.00		660.00	
Animal Inspector—Salary	330.00		330.00	
Forest Warden	150.00		150.00	
Forest Warden—Patrol	300.00			300.00
Wire Inspector—Salary	300.00		300.00	
Compensation Account	1,500.00		1,462.01	37.99
	$118,709.17	$ 1,407.39	$116,480.50	$ 3,636.06

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Health—Salaries of Board	$ 330.00		$ 330.00	
Salary of Agent	550.00		550.00	
Salary of Nurse	1,716.00		1,683.50	$ 32.50
Salary of Milk Inspector	550.00		550.00	
Salary of Plumbing Inspector	550.00		550.00	
Other Expense	8,340.00		5,434.10	2,905.90
Care of Dumps	1,950.00		1,942.05	7.95
Garbage Collection	5,600.00		5,000.00	600.00

Sewer—Salary of Supt.	307.65			307.65		
Salary of Clerks	368.50			368.50		
Salary of Paymaster	55.00			55.00		
Maintenance—Other Expense	6,650.00			6,435.13		214.87
Sewer Connections	4,000.00			1,735.99		2,264.01
	$ 30,967.15			$ 24,941.92		$ 6,025.23
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:						
General Highways:						
Salary of Superintendent	$ 3,000.00			$ 3,000.00		
Salary of Clerk	1,434.58			1,434.58		
Other Expense	40,000.00	R$	1,450.00			
		A	254.97	41,704.96	$	.01
Lakeside Sidewalk	1,500.00	B	36.18	1,536.18		
Albion Street Sidewalk	2,250.00			2,250.00		
Chapter 90 Maintenance 1942		B	457.09	H 457.09		
Chapter 90 Maintenance 1943	1,000.00	L	2,000.00	3,000.00		
Drainage Easements		B	25.00	25.00		
Parking Area—Rental	100.00			88.20		11.80
Parking Area—Construction		B	922.82	922.82		
Atwood Street Construction		B	365.00	365.00		
Webster Street Construction		B	90.00	90.00		
Robert Street Construction		B	685.00	685.00		
W. P. A.				H 1,275.02		
		B	1,306.02	31.00		
	$ 49,284.58	$	7,592.08	$ 56,864.85	$	11.81

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS:					
Welfare—Salaries of Board	$ 550.00			$ 550.00	
Relief—Temporary Aid	24,110.00	A$	215.05	$ 13,728.80	$ 10,596.25
Relief Administration:					
Salaries Agent and Clerks	3,844.87			3,340.33	504.54
Other Expense	700.00			643.19	56.81
Unpaid Bills 1939	455.96				455.96
Unpaid Bills 1940	502.20				502.20
Unpaid Bills 1941	1,890.70	A	636.14	2,447.88	78.96
Unpaid Bills 1942	537.38			537.38	
Aid to Dependent Children	10,000.00	A	92.27	10,092.27	
Aid Dependent Children Administration:					
Salaries Agent and Clerk	300.00			300.00	
Other Expense	100.00			100.00	
Aid Dependent Children—Federal Funds		B	3,297.48		
		F	4,290.05	4,749.05	$ 2,856.78
		A	18.30		
Aid Dependent Children Adm.—Federal Funds		B	222.11		
		F	1,207.23	703.74	725.60
Old Age Assistance	69,000.00			69,000.00	
Old Age Assistance Adm.	1,470.00			1,470.00	
Old Age Assistance—Federal Funds		B	5,331.78		
		F	53,151.28		
		A	1,769.83	55,229.69	5,023.20
Old Age Assistance Adm.—Federal Funds		B	310.70		
		F	1,771.60	1,952.44	129.86
Infirmary—Salaries and Wages	2,310.00			2,268.75	41.25
Infirmary—Other Expense	5,900.00	A	12.38	5,486.47	425.91

Soldiers' Benefits		19,000.00	A 463.08	14,426.26	5,036.82
Soldiers' Relief Agent—Salary		550.00		550.00	
		$141,221.11	$ 72,789.28	$187,576.25	$ 26,434.14
EDUCATION:					
School—Salaries		$265,700.00		$261,842.31	$ 3,857.69
Pension—"Neary"		852.67		852.67	
Other Expense		45,700.00		42,238.47	3,461.53
Trade School		3,000.00		1,493.19	1,506.81
Library—Salaries		16,000.00		15,633.99	366.01
Pension—"Neary"		168.00		168.00	
Other Expense		5,000.00	D 1,766.64 T 3,250.07	10,013.02	3.69
		$336,420.67	$ 5,016.71	$332,241.65	$ 9,195.73
RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED:					
Park and Cemetery Commissioners—Salaries		$ 330.00		$ 330.00	
Park—Salary of Superintendent		1,694.00		1,687.58	$ 6.42
Wages of Other Employees		1,700.00		1,698.11	1.89
Other Expense		3,525.00	R 350.00 T 65.35	3,858.89	81.46
Cemetery—Salary of Superintendent	G	1,601.60		1,601.60	
Wages Other Employees	G	1,800.00		1,790.92	9.08
Care of Old Cemetery		100.00		100.00	
Other Expense	G	654.40		653.60	.80
Finance Committee		125.00		84.75	40.25

Miscellaneous Account		1,000.00	R	2,100.00	2,765.41	334.59
Street Lights		20,000.00			20,000.00	
Fire Alarm, Police Signal, etc.		2,000.00			1,193.22	806.78
Rifle Range—State Guard, Co. F		500.00			204.01	295.99
Recreation Commission		1,500.00			1,499.96	.04
Fire Insurance		4,000.00			3,929.23	70.77
Liability Insurance—Motor Vehicles		1,900.00			1,785.76	114.24
Lake Quannapowitt		500.00			20.26	479.74
Planning Board		100.00			18.84	81.16
Board of Appeal		200.00			13.15	186.85
Aid Visiting Nurse Association		500.00			500.00	
Memorial Day—Veterans		750.00			733.01	16.99
Armistice Day—American Legion		50.00			45.75	4.25
Civilian Defense		1,000.00	B	3,286.70	817.00	3,469.70
Reimbursement—Officer Maloney		435.00			435.00	
Middlesex County Hospital		9,510.67			9,510.67	
300th Anniversary Committee Expenses		200.00			51.55	148.45
U. S. War Bonds—Investment		20,000.00			20,000.00	
Retirement Funds—Pensions		21,684.00			21,684.00	
Retirement Funds—Interest Deficiency		556.75			556.75	
Retirement Funds—Adm. Expense		774.00			774.00	
Reserve Fund	O	22,000.00			4,821.00	17,179.00
		$120,690.42		$ 5,802.05	$103,164.02	$ 23,328.45
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:						
Water Department—Salaries of Board		$ 330.00			$ 328.33	$ 1.67
Salary of Superintendent		2,892.35			2,892.35	
Salaries of Clerks		3,600.00			3,097.45	502.55

Salary of Collector	550.00		550.00	
Other Expense	46,392.65		42,335.19	4,057.46
Water Bonds	29,000.00		29,000.00	
Water Interest	3,235.00		3,235.00	
Water Construction:				
Water Supply Addition		B$ 17,638.01	14,574.96	3,063.05
Water Mains Extension		B 2,282.93	45.51	2,237.42
	$ 86,000.00	$ 19,920.94	$ 96,058.79	$ 9,862.15
INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT:				
Interest	$ 5,000.00		$ 3,305.56	$ 1,694.44
Maturing Debt	27,000.00		27,000.00	
	$ 32,000.00		$ 30,305.56	$ 1,694.44
Grand Total	$958,981.79	$112,796.45	$988,520.93	$ 83,257.31

A—Refunds
B—Appropriation Balances Available
D—Dog Licenses
F—From Federal Government
G—From Sale of Graves and Lots—$2,590.00
H—Appropriated to Other Accounts
L—From Loans—Anticipation Highway Reimbursements
O—Transfer from Overlay Surplus
R—From Reserve Fund
T—Income from Trust Funds

TOWN OF WAKEFIELD

BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1943

ASSETS

Revenue Cash	$602,562.67	
Non-Revenue Cash	5,450.70	
		$608,013.37
Taxes 1936	$ 17.60	
Taxes 1937	24.61	
Taxes 1938	81.35	
Real Estate Tax 1942	15,348.78	
Real Estate Tax 1943	70,355.66	
Personal Property Tax 1939	50.76	
Personal Property Tax 1940	109.22	
Personal Property Tax 1941	161.53	
Personal Property Tax 1942	437.76	
Personal Property Tax 1943	1,512.00	
		88,099.27
Poll Tax 1936	$ 18.00	
Poll Tax 1937	28.00	
Poll Tax 1938	28.00	
Poll Tax 1939	32.00	
Poll Tax 1940	82.00	
Poll Tax 1941	60.00	
Poll Tax 1942	60.00	
Poll Tax 1943	94.00	
		402.00
Excise Tax 1936	$ 107.23	
Excise Tax 1937	176.88	

LIABILITIES

Overpayment on Tax Titles	$ 90.00
Temporary Loans	200,000.00
Temporary Loans—Highway Reimbursement	2,000.00
Sewer Connection Deposits	20.00
Income on Post War Rehabilitation Fund	500.00
Excise Tax Revenue	1,088.74

Excise Tax 1938	30.64	
Excise Tax 1939	45.28	
Excise Tax 1940	66.33	
Excise Tax 1941	46.49	
Excise Tax 1942	21.58	
Excise Tax 1943	594.31	
		1,088.74
Betterment Assessments 1942	$ 371.99	
Betterment Assessments 1943	1,057.77	
		1,429.76
Sewer Assessments 1942	$ 74.03	
Sewer Assessments 1943	701.89	
		775.92
Moth Assessments 1942	$ 23.00	
Moth Assessments 1943	265.79	
		288.79
Sewer Assessments Not Apportioned		3,991.80
Betterment Assessments Not Apportioned		1,139.41
Committed Interest 1942	$ 112.07	
Committed Interest 1943	431.98	
		544.05
Tax Collector Petty Cash	$ 100.00	
Light Dept. Petty Cash	400.00	
		500.00
Tax Titles		83,018.06
Accounts Receivable:		
School Department	$ 8,187.48	
Welfare—Temporary Aid	450.55	
Welfare—Old Age Assistance	1,827.75	
Welfare—Aid Dependent Children	2,544.56	

Health Department	7,480.75	
State Aid—Comm. of Mass.	3,520.35	
Military Aid—Comm. of Mass.	450.50	
		24,461.94
State Aid—Highways	$ 296.45	
County Aid—Highways	296.45	
		592.90
Water Rates	$ 772.95	
Water Services	364.01	
		1,136.96
Light Department Bills		25,359.49
Special Cash—Municipal Light Guarantees		56,404.18

Overlay 1936	$ 35.60	
Overlay 1937	52.61	
Overlay 1938	109.35	
Overlay 1939	82.76	
Overlay 1940	191.22	
Overlay 1941	221.53	
Overlay 1942	13,836.65	
Overlay 1943	8,025.06	
		22,554.78
Tax Title Revenue		83,018.06
Special Assessment Revenue		8,169.73
Departmental Revenue		24,461.94
Water Revenue		1,136.96
Municipal Light Revenue		25,359.49
Overlay Surplus—Reserve Fund		23,872.21
Excess and Deficiency		246,021.19
Reserve for Petty Cash Advances		500.00

Sewer Assessments Apportioned	26,179.75	Sewer Assessments Apportioned:		
		Due in 1944	$ 4,553.61	
		Due in 1945	3,902.56	
		Due in 1946	3,825.34	
		Due in 1947	3,403.23	
		Due in 1948	2,461.15	
		Due in 1949	2,461.15	
		Due in 1950	2,461.15	
		Due in 1951	2,463.45	
		Due in 1952	648.11	
				26,179.75
Betterment Assessments Apportioned	32,971.83	Betterment Assessments Apportioned:		
		Due in 1944	$ 5,971.70	
		Due in 1945	5,804.43	
		Due in 1946	5,186.42	
		Due in 1947	4,846.15	
		Due in 1948	3,611.53	
		Due in 1949	2,898.48	
		Due in 1950	2,794.27	
		Due in 1951	1,464.94	
		Due in 1952	393.91	
				32,971.83
Tax Title Possessions	2,039.07	Tax Title Possessions Revenue		2,039.07
		Sale of Real Estate		1,426.00
		Sale of Lots and Graves—Cemetery		4,755.00
		Sale of Lots—Partial Payments		85.00
		Perpetual Care Bequests—Partial Payments		85.00
		Old Age Assistance Reimbursements		422.67

Under Estimate County Tax	$ 1,340.08	
Under Estimates State and Metropolitan Charges:		
Charles River Basin	96.17	
Metropolitan Parks Loan	354.64	
Metropolitan Parks Boulevards	.01	
Metropolitan Parks Nantasket	43.39	
Metropolitan Sewerage Loan North System	200.10	
		2,034.39

Municipal Light Guarantee Deposits		56,404.18
Greenwood Fire Station Repairs	$ 253.88	
Parking Area Rental (B. & M. R. R.)	11.80	
Old Age Assistance Federal Funds	5,023.20	
Old Age Ass't Adm. Federal Funds	129.86	
Aid Dep. Child. Federal Funds	2,856.78	
Aid Dep. Child. Adm. Federal Funds	725.60	
Liability Insurance Motor Vehicles	114.24	
Dog Licenses for County	30.00	
Repairs to Foreclosed Tax Title Property	124.71	
Civilian Defense—Chap. 487 Acts 1941	3,469.70	
Over Estimate State Charges:		
Smoke Inspection	63.46	
300th Anniversary of Town Committee Expenses	148.45	
Willard Donnell Trust—Welfare	732.21	
Antonio Muccio—Account of Injuries	1,770.17	
Additional Land Water St. Playground	100.00	
Light Dept. Operation Account	64,192.38	
Light Dept.—Depreciation Acct.	99,647.41	
Light Dept.—Reserve Fund	5,817.87	
Sewer Construction—Meriam St.	18.52	
Sewer Construction—Robert St.	330.14	

		Sewer Construction—Forest St.	330.01	
		Sewer Construction—Stedman St.	83.87	
				185,974.26
		Federal Tax Deductions		5,885.12
		Total Revenue		$955,020.98
		Bond Issues—Non Revenue Cash:		
		Water Mains Relaying	$ 150.23	
		Water Supply Addition	3,063.05	
		Water Mains Extensions	2,237.42	
				$ 5,450.70
Grand Total	$960,471.68	Grand Total		$960,471.68

SUPPLEMENTARY BALANCE SHEET

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Balance December 31, 1943	$ 94,570.90	Sweetser Lecture Fund	$ 10,000.00
		Sweetser Lecture Guarantee Fund	2,983.98
		Library Trust Funds	13,389.26
		Park Trust Funds	5,237.92
		School and Scholarship Trust Funds	7,664.67
		Old Cemetery Trust Funds	6,360.77
		Forest Glade Cemetery Funds	17,419.24
		Jonathan Nichols Temperance Fund	1,515.06
		Investment:	
		U. S. War Bonds Series G	30,000.00
	$ 94,570.90		$ 94,570.90

RETIREMENT SYSTEM FUNDS — CASH AND SECURITIES

Balance, January 1, 1943		$ 89,433.86	Payments:	
Transfers from Payroll Deductions		12,639.35	Pensions and Annuities	$ 26,401.95
Received from Town Appropriation:			Administrative Expense	868.85
For Pensions	$ 22,240.75		Refunds Members' Deductions	2,350.65
For Expense Fund	774.00		Balance December 31, 1943	97,904.32
		23,014.75		
Interest and Dividends on Investments		2,437.81		
		127,525.77		$127,525.77

The accounts of the Treasurer have been examined and found to be in agreement with the Accountant's books.

Cash balances have been verified and found to be distributed as follows:

General Funds:		
On deposit in:		
Wakefield Trust Company	$107,675.02	
Second National Bank of Boston	499,340.15	
Cash in hands of Treasurer, not deposited until January	998.20	
Total December 31, 1943		$608,013.37

Trust Funds have been checked by examination of Savings Bank deposit books.

Investment Funds, consisting of $30,000.00 U. S. War Bonds 2½%, Series G, have been checked and found in the custody of the Treasurer.

Funds of the Contributory Retirement System have been checked by examination of Savings Bank and Co-operative Bank books, securities, and statement of the Wakefield Trust Company covering checking account, and have been found to be in agreement with the Town Accountant's books. Funds are invested in the following manner:

Melrose Savings Bank	$ 12,918.41	
Wakefield Savings Bank	9,868.71	
		$ 22,787.12
Co-operative Banks—Paid up and Matured Shares:		
Wakefield	$ 2,000.00	
Brighton	4,000.00	
Congress	4,000.00	
Merrimack	4,000.00	
		$ 14,000.00
Co-operative Banks—Serial Shares including accrued interest		22,188.95
United States War Bonds 2½% Series G.		25,000.00
100 Shares First National Bank of Boston (Purchase Price)	$ 3,900.00	
100 Shares National Shawmut Bank of Boston (Purchase Price)	2,287.50	
		6,187.50
Wakefield Trust Company checking account		7,566.78
Check for payroll deductions in hands of Treasurer not deposited until January		173.97
Total Funds December 31, 1943		$ 97,904.32

All permanent and temporary loans cancelled during the year by the Treasurer have been examined and found to be as reported.

On May first, Auditors from the State Division of Accounts, started an examination of the accounts and records of the town, which was completed early in October. The previous audit by the State took place in 1939 and 1940.

I wish to express my appreciation to the Honorable Board of Selectmen and all other officers and employees who have been of assistance in the work of this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. COX,
Town Accountant

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